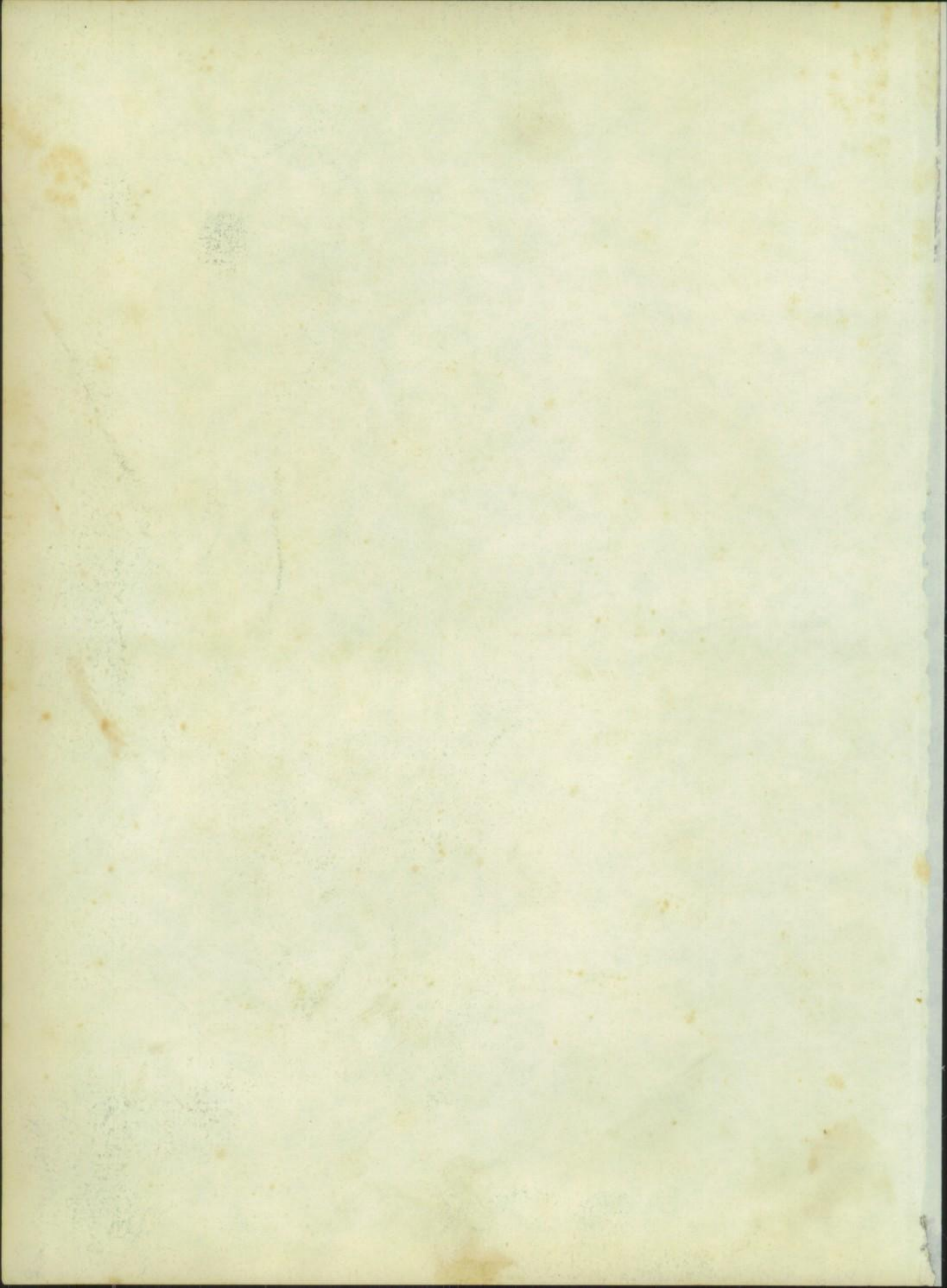


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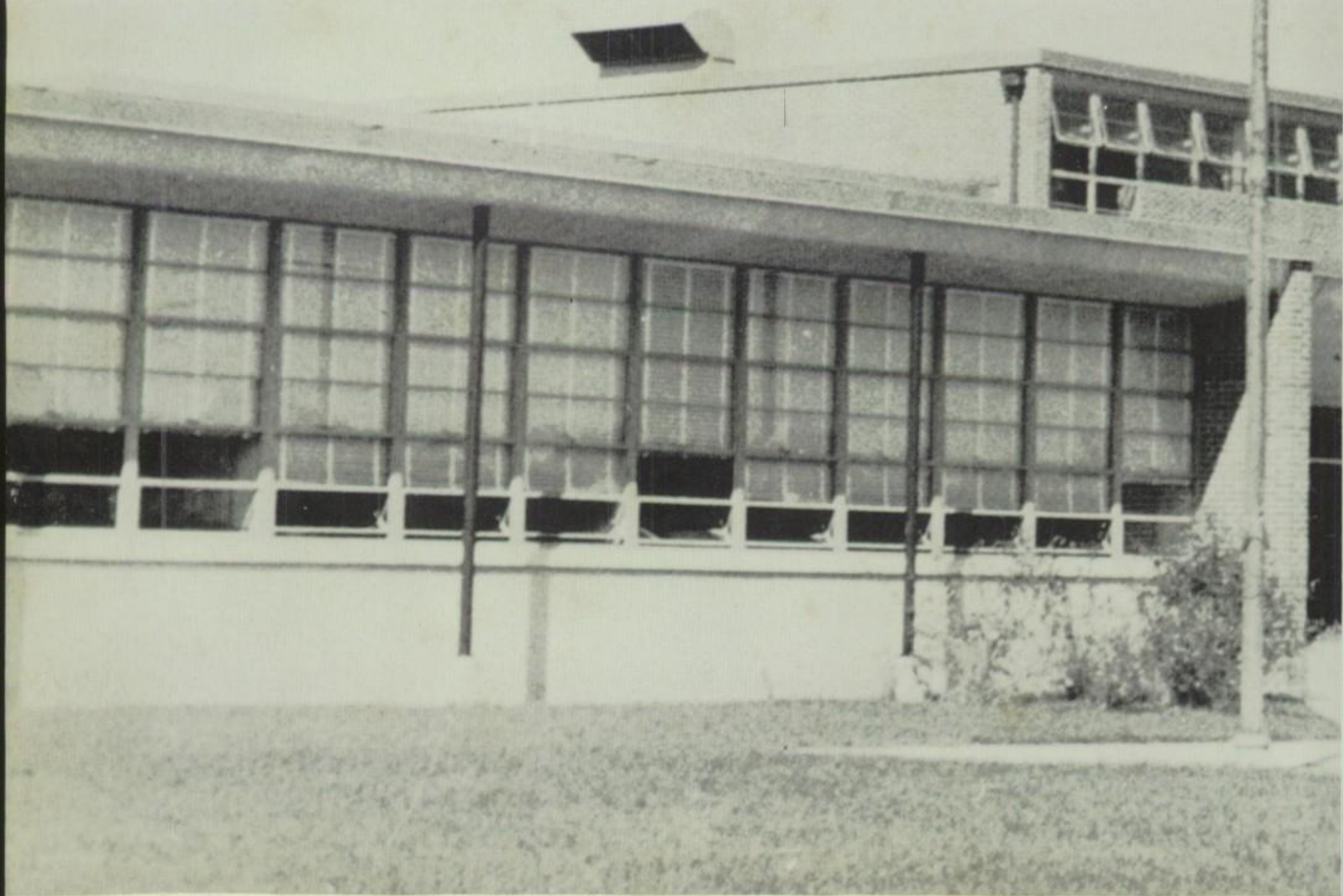


Our Alma Mater

Here sing we to James Blair,
Whose ideals guide us;
Love, truth, and faithfulness
In all the years we share.
So we hail;
The Blue, the White, the Gold.

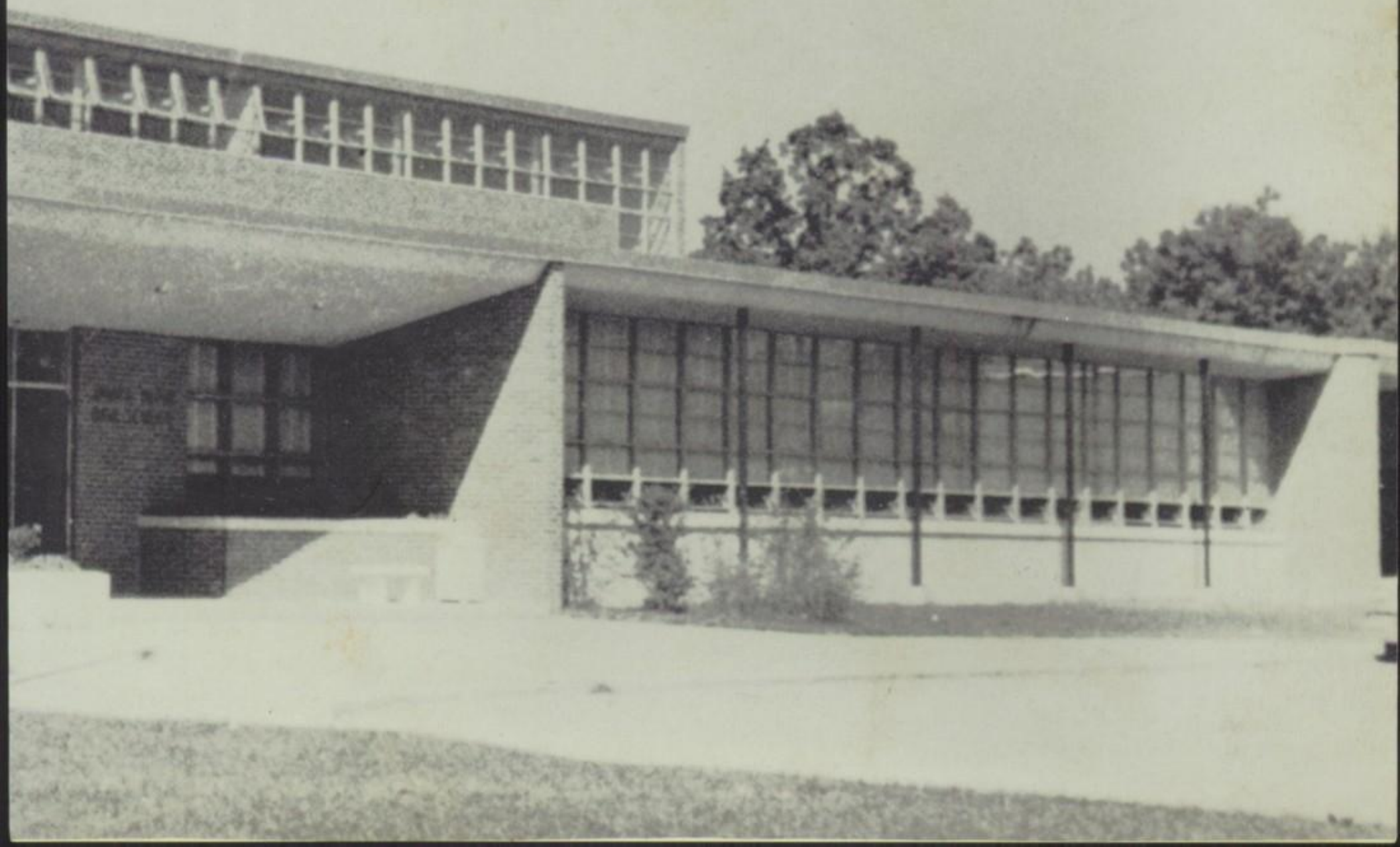
All through our way of life
We shall remember thee,
Recall the happy days
We spent at James Blair High.
Hail, James Blair!
All hail to thee, James Blair.

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JAMES BLAIR HIGH SCHOOL
James City County - Williamsburg, Virginia
Volume IV, 1959



Life at



Blair



Foreword

As the school year of 1958-59 draws to a close, we, the yearbook staff, bring back in the Bee Hive those experiences that have made this year a profitable and memorable one.

This year for the first time, the Bee Hive staff is composed of underclassmen as well as seniors. The purpose of this new arrangement is to create the feeling that this yearbook belongs to the entire student body, rather than to the senior class alone.

As the constitution of the United States begins with "We the people," let our Bee Hive begin with "We the students" - Each of us one small part of the whole, all contributing to making our days at James Blair ones that we will want to remember.



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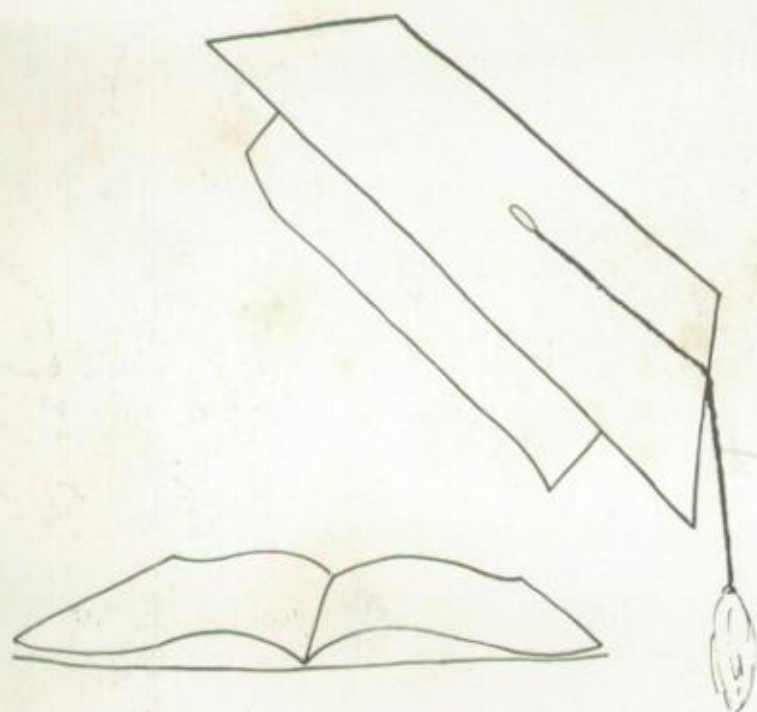
Dedication

We, the class of '59, dedicate this our yearbook to Mr. Sameul Patton. As our coach he instilled in us a finer school spirit and encouraged us to support our athletic team. He was always interested in the student body and ready to help us in any of our various activities. In addition to his work as coach he spear-headed the drive to obtain lights for our athletic field. He also was a director of the Youth Center.

Although Coach Patton is no longer at James Blair we still feel his influence and this dedication is an expression of our appreciation to him.



RAWLS BYRD
Superintendent



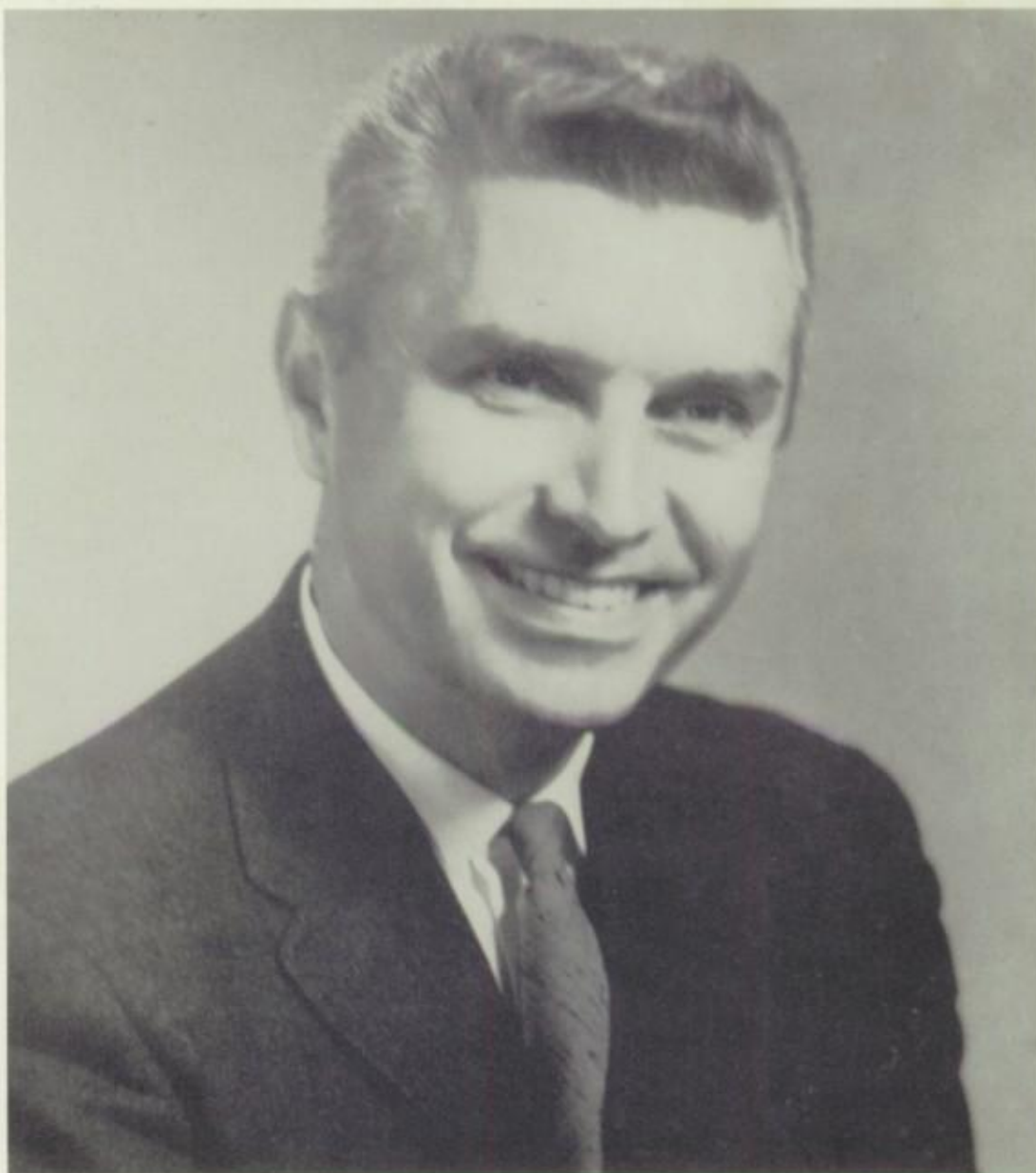
*"Hats Off
to the Faculty!"*

RAYMOND FREED
A. B.; Boys' Advisor; History, Algebra.

MISS MILDRED B. MATIER
B. A., M. A.; Girls' Advisor; Language
Arts.



GEORGE C. PITTS, JR.
B.S., M.Ed.; Principal.



MISS EUNICE L. HALL
A.B., M.A.; Seventh Grade Counselor,
Language Arts, Social Studies.

JOHN LUNGER
B.S.; Mathematics.

MRS. JUDITH B. CARTER
A.B.; Librarian.



MRS. GLADYS M. JUMP
School Secretary.

MRS. GEORGE HICKAM
R.N.; School Nurse.

JAMES SHANK ANGLE
B.A.; Seventh Grade.

MRS. ESTHER M. BATCHELDER
B.S.; Home Economics.

MRS. LILLIAN BAZZLE
B.S., M.S.; Physical Education.

MISS KAY BOATRIGHT
B.S.; Distributive Education.

MISS MARJORIE L. BROWN
B.A.; Language Arts, Latin.

MISS MARJORIE I. BROWNING
B.S., M.A.; Chemistry, Biology.

MISS GENELLE CALDWELL
B.A., M.A., Certificates Etude; French.

MRS. MARY W. COWLES
B.S.; Typing, Shorthand.

WALTER L. COX, JR.
B.S.; Industrial Arts.



MRS. CARRA DILLARD
B.A., M.A.; Government, Art.

MISS DOROTHY DIRADOUR
B.S.; Business Education.



MRS. TRITTIE GEDDY
B.A.; Language Arts, Journalism.

THOMAS H. HAMMILTON
B.S.; Physical Education, Director of Athletics.



MRS. HELEN B. HARBOUR
B.S.; Seventh Grade.

WALLACE L. HARRISON
B.A., M.A.; History, Language Arts.

MRS. EDNA HOCKADAY
B.A., M.Ed.; Seventh Grade.



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B.B., M.A.; Language Arts, History.

CHARLES H. LAUCK
B.A., B.S., M.Ed.; Mathematics.

JOHN B. LEFFEL, JR.
B.A.; Biology, General Science.



MISS NANCY LENZ
B.A.; Language Arts.

CHARLES R. McCANDLES
B.A., M.A.; Director of Music.

MICHAEL MENDALOFF
B.A.; History.

JAMES M. MIXSON
Seventh Grade.

MRS. JUANITA PHILLIPS
B.A.; Mathematics.

GEORGE SPAULDING
B.S.; Science, Physical Education.

MARION F. VAUGHAN
B.S.; Mathematics.





Supervisor of
Maintenance
Mr. John Stoddard

Maintenance



Left to right: John Faulcon, Alice Johnson, William Briggs.

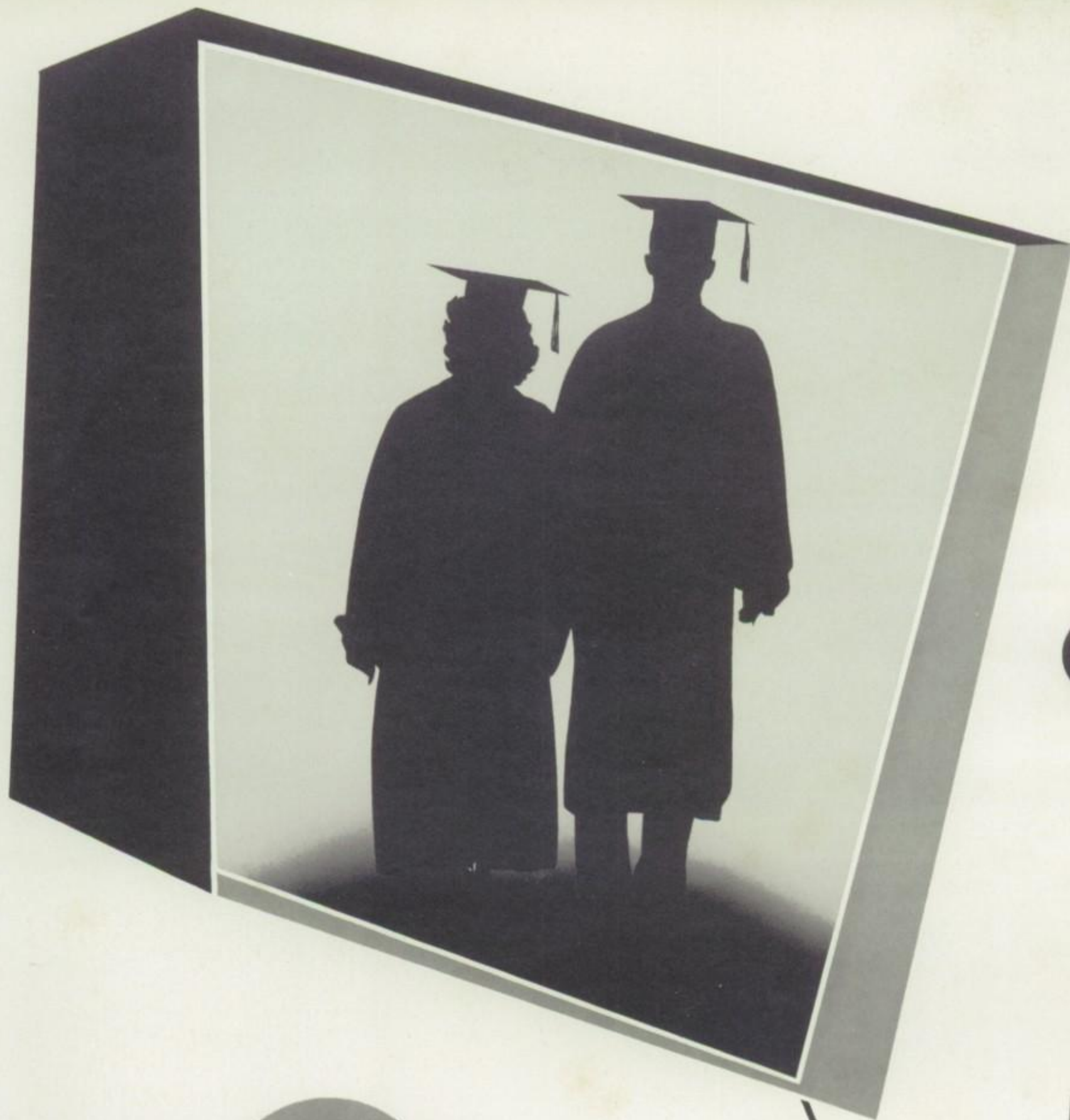
Cafeteria Staff

Left to right: Mrs. L. E. Davis, Mrs. F. M. Timberlake, Mrs. J. T. Moore, Mrs. L. Matheny, Mrs. E. Honeycutt, Mrs. L. Batkins, Mrs. J. Meyers, Mrs. E. L. Davis, Mrs. McCoy.



Cafeteria Manager
Mrs. Matheny





seniors



GALE FARNSWORTH ABBOTT

"Gale"

"God has sifted three kingdoms to find the wheat for this planting."

Class Vice-President 9; Vice-President Nursing Club 9; Youth Center Board 9, 10; Class Secretary 10; Civic Club President 10, 11; American Field Service Exchange Student 11; Basketball 11; Blarion 11; FTA 11; National Honor Society 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; President SCA 12.



JOHN BAGANAKIS

"Bag"

"Good things come in large packages."

Sports Club 9; Student Council 9; Youth Center Board 9; Treasurer, Class 9, 10; Boys' Advisory Council 9, 10, 11; Social Dancing 9, 10, 11; Basketball 9, 10, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Baseball 10, 12, Manager 11; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Class Play 11; Business Manager, Bee Hive 12.



ZONIA LAVEITA BAKER

"Zonia"

"Her high stepping on the football field enriches our halftime ceremonies."

FHA 9; Nursing Club 9; Sports Club 9; Reading Club 10; Typing Club 11; FBLA 12; Majorette 12.



CHARLES EDWARD BARNES

"Charlie"

"A body of iron, a heart of oak."

Football 11, 12; Monogram Club 12.

MARY LOUISE BARNETT

"Louise"

"Light is her heart; gentle is her disposition."

Treasurer 9, Secretary 10, Library Club; Language Arts Club 10; Nursing Club 10; Civic Club 11; Typing Club 11; President FBLA 12.

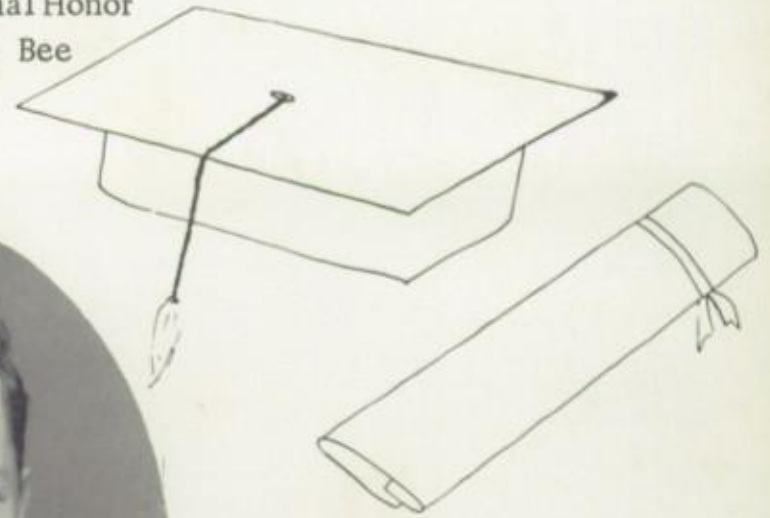


PAULA JEAN BATCHELDER

"Batch"

"Enough work to do and strength enough to do the work."

Chorus 9; Dramatics Club 9; Vice-President, Language Arts Club 9; Civic Club 10; Hockey 10; Youth Center Board 10, 11; Blarion 11; Student Council 11; Basketball 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, Treasurer 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Circulation Manager, Bee Hive 12; 13 Club.



PETER JOSE BOSCH

"Peter"

"Opinions can only survive if you fight for them."

Civic Club 9, 10; Current Events Club 9, 10, 11; Boys' Advisory Council 11; Class Play 11; Dramatics 12; French Club 12.



BETTY LEE BOSWELL

"Betty"

"A pleasant mixture of jollity and sincerity."

Nursing Club 9; FHA 9, 10, 11; Language Arts Club 10; Office Assistant 10; Library Club 11; FHA 11, Reporter; Basketball 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; FBLA 12; 13 Club.



WILLIAM THOMAS BOWRY

"Bill"

"Our life consisteth partly in folly and partly in wisdom."

Band 9; Student Council 9; Football 9, 10, 11; Boys' State 11; Monogram Club 11, 12; Treasurer, SCA 12; 13 Club.



BEVERLEY JEAN BOZARTH

"Beverley"

"Her wit is more than man, her innocence more than that of a child."

James Blair 9; San Fernando, California 10, 11; GAA 10, 11; Drill-team 11; Lettergirls' 11; Philomatheon 11; James Blair 12; Dramatics 12.



MARY FRANCES CALDWELL

"Frannie"

"Innocence is Bliss."

Youth Center Board 9; Chorus 9, 10; FHA 9, Vice-President 10, President 11; Student Council 10, 11; Blarion 11; Manager, Basketball 11, 12; Dramatics 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; 13 Club.



PATRICIA FAYE CAMPBELL

"Pat"

"Make up your mind and stick to it."

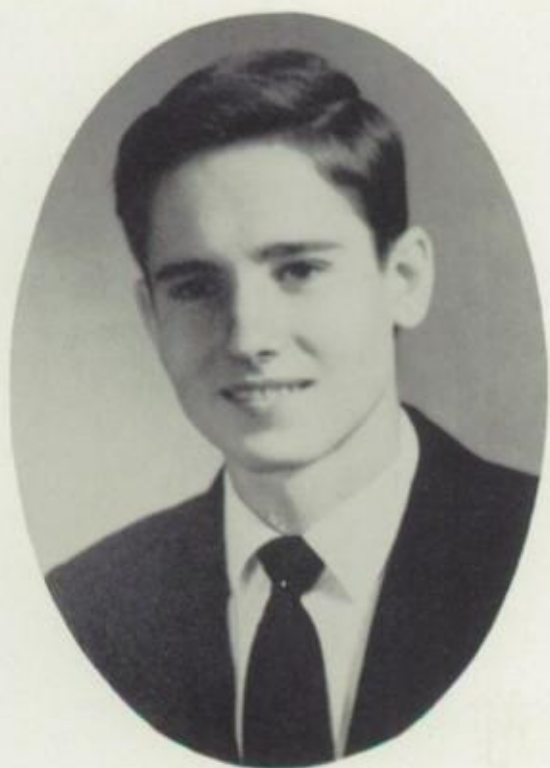
FHA 9; Youth Center Board 9; Civic Club 10; Reading Club 10; Social Dancing 10, 11; Girls' Advisory Council 11; Promotion Manager, DE 11; Reporter, DE 11; Cheerleader 12; Circulation Manager, Blarion 12; Secretary, Girls' Student Body 12; Monogram Club 12.



JORDAN CARTER

"Jay"

"Lawdy, so sugar sweet and champagne bubbly."
Chandler Junior High, Richmond, Virginia; President Homeroom 9; Student Council 9; Thomas Jefferson, Richmond, Virginia; Vice-President Homeroom; Future Nurses Club; Y-Teens; James Blair; Class Play 11; Girls' Advisory Council 11; Vice-President, Girls' Student Body 12; Social Dancing 11; Blarion 11, Associate Editor 12; Student Council 12.



RANDOLPH VAUGHAN CARTER, JR.

"Randy"

"All you need in life is honesty and confidence, and success is sure!"
Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Dance Band 9, 10, 11; Football 12; Student Council 12; 13 Club.

MARY LEE COOK

"Mary Lee"

"A good heart is better than all the heads in the world."

Northern High, Durham, North Carolina; Business Club 9; Personal Typing Club 10; Glee Club 10, 11; Student Council 11; James Blair; FBLA 12.



PHILLIP SHELBY CORWIN

"Bing"

"If his friendliness were measured in dollars and cents there would be no poor among us."
Punahov, Hawaii; Camera Club 10; Leilehva, Hawaii; Yearbook Staff 11; James Blair 12; Dramatics 12.





RICHARD LYNN COTTINGHAM

"Richard"

"An able leader makes a good class."
President, Class 12; Student Council 12; 13 Club.



BERNARD THOMAS COVINGTON

"Bernard"

"All smiles and curls."
13 Club.



BETTY JO COWLES

"Betsy"

"The heart to conceive, the understanding
to direct, the hand to execute."
Chorus 9; Basketball 10; Vice-President,
Class 10; Social Dancing 10, 11; Civic Club
11; Girls' State 11; Blarion 11, 12; Cheer-
leader 11, 12; Student Council 11, 12; Presi-
dent, Girls' Student Body 12; 13 Club.



JERRY McKEAN DAVIS

"Jerry"

Antioch Junior High, California 9, 10; Science Club
9; James Blair 11, 12; Science Club 11; Class Play
11; Lab Assistants Club 12; Bee Hive 12.

ROSA LEE DEAN

"Rosa Lee"

"A little quiet is sometimes a diet."

Nursing Club 9; Language Arts Club 10; Typing Club 11; FBLA 12.



PATRICIA JOAN DUFFY

"Honey"

"Laughter taken as directed, cures all ills."

George Wythe Junior High, Hampton, Virginia; Chorus 9; James Blair; Basketball 10; Chorus 10, 11, 12; VOT Historian 12.



ANN WELTON DUKE

"Ann"

"Open book, open mind."

FHA 9; Civic Club 10; Girls' Advisory Council 11; National Honor Society 11, 12; Dramatics 12; 13 Club.



JOHN HARTWELL EUBANK

"Hartwell"

"Have Ford; Will travel."
13 Club.





PETER ALLEN HAAK

"Arizona"

"I don't need a gun, but I can't do without my cowboy boots."

Science Club 9, 10, 11; Technical Director, Class Play 11; Lab Assistant 12; 13 Club.



REBECCA ANN DRISCOLL HADEN

"Becky"

"No discouraging her good humor, no spoiling her smile."

Chorus 9; Language Arts Club 10; Typing Club 10, 11; Reading Club 11; Secretary-Treasurer DE Club 11; FBLA 12; Youth Center Board 12.



BETTIE FARINHOLT HARGRAVE

"Betty"

"Her subtle humor outshines her shyness."

Chorus 9; Songleader, FHA 10; Basketball 10, 11; Civic Club 10, 11; Girls' State 11; Secretary, Class 11, 12; FBLA 12; 13 Club.



JOYCE ANN HARRISON

"Joyce"

"Her peaceful manner comes from deep within."

FHA 9; Nursing Club 9; Sports Club 9; Reading Club 10; Typing Club 11; FBLA 12; 13 Club.

THOMAS BRANTLEY HENDERSON, III

"Brantley"

"The reason of the strongest is always the best."
Band 9, 10; Basketball 9; Social Dancing 9, 10; Sports Club 9, 10; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Student Council 9, 11, 12; Civic Club 11; Class President 11; Rifle Club 11; Blarion 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; Photographer, Blarion 12; President Boys' Student Body 12; 13 Club.



MARGARET LEE HOLLAND

"Margaret"

"The trail of learning is the path of success."
Band 9; FHA 9; Science Club 9; Reading Club 10; Civic Club 10, 11; Social Dancing 11; National Honor Society 11, 12.



ROBERT EDWARD KANE, JR.

"Bob"

"Mischievous and I are partners in crime."
Henry Clay High, Ashland, Virginia; Chorus 9; Science Club 9; Latin Club 10; James Blair; Current Events Club 11; Blarion 12; FBLA 12.



PATRICIA ALLENE KELLY

"Pat"

"Imagination is the master of art."
Camp Crawford High, Saporro, Hokkido, Japan; Newspaper Reporter 9; Naramasu High, Tokyo, Japan; GAA 10; 110 Club 10; Warwick High, Virginia, 10; James Blair; Library Club 11; Art Editor, Bee Hive 12.





ELIZABETH BINGHAM KENT

"Betsy"

"To give of yourself is to receive of others."

Girls' Advisory Council 9, 10; Basketball 10; Vice-President, Class 11; Vice President, Girls' Student Body 11; Secretary-Treasurer, Youth Center Board 11; Manager of Magazine Campaign 12; 13 Club.



BETTY LOU KOGER

"Betty Lou"

"I've taken my fun where I've found it."

FHA 9, 10, 11; Library Club 9; Language Arts Club 10; Civic Club 10, 11; FBLA 12.



CAROLE ANN LANEHART

"Carole"

"Intelligence and thriftiness go hand in hand."

Sports Club 9; Civic Club 9, 10, 11; FHA 10; Class Play 11; Social Dancing 11; Copy and Rewrite Editor, Bee Hive 12.



JOAN LEE

"Joan"

"Wisdom comes from study and concentration."

FHA 9; Science Club 9; Chorus 10; Reading Club 10, 11; Art Club 11; French Club 11, 12; Typing Club 12.

JEANE BURTCH LOOMIS

"Jeannie"

"Enthusiasm rushes as from a spring."

Chorus 9; Youth Center Board 9; Girls' Advisory Council 10; Typing Club 10; Civic Club 10, 11; Cheerleader 11; Class Play 11; French Club 11; Dramatics 12.



GEORGE HARRISON LUNGER

"George"

"His invaluable abilities make him a good leader."

Alameda High, California 9; Elmira Tree Academy, New York 9; Mixed Chorus 9; ROTC 9; Spanish Club 9; James Blair 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10; Track 11; Tumbling Instructor 11; Vice-President, SCA 12.



NANCY ELSBETH MacDONALD

"Nancy"

"Her presence is always known."

Blair Junior High, Norfolk, Virginia 9; School Paper 9; James Blair 10, 11, 12; Chorus 10; Civic Club 11; French Club 11; Blarion 11, 12; Dramatics 12.



ESTHER DEAN MARSHALL

"Esther"

"Heavily burdened, lightly disturbed."

Chorus 9; Colonialettes 9; FHA 10; Secretary Civic Club 10, 11 Vice-President; Junior Representative Bee Hive 11; Monogram Club 11, 12; Student Council 11, 12; Editor, Bee Hive 12; 13 Club.





ELIZABETH WARREN MATTHEWS

"Monk"

"I laugh because I cannot cry."

Science Club 9; Chorus 9, 10, 11; Colonialettes 10;
Assistant Business Manager, Blarion 11; Dramatics
12.



DAVID GEORGE McBRIDE

"Percy"

"Always ready to give a helping hand."

Burlington High, Vermont 9; James Blair 10,
11, 12; Football 10, 11; Civic Club 11; Class
Play 11; Photography Club 11; Youth Center
Board 11, 12; Lab Assistant 12.



NATALIE EVANS McKOWN

"Nat"

"An admirable person is one who is as she
seems to be and takes pride in this."

Chorus 9; Nursing Club 9; Civic Club 10, 11;
FHA 11; Youth Center Board 11; Basketball
11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; FBLA 12; 13
Club.



ANNE PAXTON MOSS

"Anne"

"Her friendly smile is welcomed by everyone."

Matthew Whaley 9; Science Club 9; Stuart Hall,
Stauton, Virginia 10, 11; Basketball 10, 11; Swim-
ming Club 10, 11; Hockey 11; James Blair 12;
French Club 12.

LINDA MAE NEESE

"Linda"

"Her silence is silver, her speech is golden."
Dramatics 9; Social Dancing 10; Civic Club 10, 11;
Cheerleader 11, 12; French Club 12; Blarion 12; 13
Club.



MARY HUTTON NIGHTENGALE

"Hutton"

"One could not wish for a better friend than
she."
Nurses Club 9; FHA Treasurer 9; Youth Cen-
ter Board 9; FHA 10, Vice-President 11,
President 12; Language Arts Club 10; Civic
Club 11; Class Play 11; Assistant Reporter,
FBLA 12; 13 Club.



FOYE BETH O'NEAL

"Beth"

"Taste is the feminine of genius."
Band 9; Chorus 9; Colonialettes 9; Hockey
9, 10; Basketball 10; Civic Club 10; Youth
Center Board 10; Social Dancing 11; Cheer-
leader 11, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12.



FRANK NEILSON OSBORNE

"Frank Jr."

"A man of many parts."
Basketball 9, 10; Football 9, 10; Social Dancing 9, 10;
Sports Club 9, 10, 11; Class Play 11; Physical Educa-
tion Instructor 11; Blarion 11, 12; Sports Editor,
Blarion 12; Dramatics 12; 13 Club.





WALTER ALAN OWENS

"Butch"

"The secret to his success is in his friendly nature."
Projectionists Club 9; Baseball 9, 10; Basketball 10;
Bus Driver 11; Boys' Advisory Council 12; Student
Council 12; 13 Club.



ESTHER JANE PARKER

"Jane"

"Art is her talent; work is her hobby."
Science Club 9; Civic Club 9, 10; Chorus 9,
10, 11; Language Arts Club 10; Parliamen-
tarian, State DE Club 11; President, DE
Club 11; President, FBLA 12.



GRACE ROWELL PHELPS

"Grace"

"A rare combination is her great wisdom
and wit."
Dramatics 9, 12; Civic Club 10; Student
Council 10, 12; Youth Center Board 11, 12;
National Honor Society 11, 12; Secretary-
Treasurer, Youth Center Board 12.



CATHERINE LOUISE PUGH

"Cathy"

"A look can say far more than words."
Chorus 9, 12; Civic Club 10, 11; Vice-President, DE
11.

JAMES BLACKWELL RICHARDSON JR.

"Jimmy"

"A large heart knows the power of gentleness. "

Current Events Club 9, 10, 11; Science Club 10; Typing Club 11, 12; 13 Club.



JOHN CLARENCE RICHARDSON

"Moe"

"I eat, sleep and drink baseball. "

Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Sports Club 9; Monogram Club 11, President 12; Student Council 12; 13 Club.

FREDERICK OVERTON ROBERTSON

"Fred"

"His ability to entertain is the merriment of himself and others. "

Sports Club 9; Vice-President, DE Club 12.



CYNTHIA ANNE ROWE

"Cyndy"

"With talent she'll go forth; with charm she'll please her friends. "

Chorus 9; Colonialettes 10; Language Arts Club 10; Selected Chorus 10; Student Council 11; Treasurer, Girls' Student Body 12.





JOHN MEAD SHARP

"Cousy"

"A mind equal to any undertaking that he puts it along side of. "

Science Club 9; Student Council 9, 10; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Civic Club 11; Class Play 11; Vice-President, Boys' Student Body 12; Photographer, Bee Hive 12.



HOWARD GAYLORD SHELDON, JR.

"Gay"

"He excells in the field of sports. "

Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Social Dancing 11; Blarion 11, 12; Track 11, 12; Advertising Manager, Blarion 12; Co-Captain, Football 12; Vice-President, Monogram Club 12; 13 Club.



BONNIE SUE SHERMAN

"Bonnie Sue"

"The true treasures of the world are gained through wisdom. "

Chorus 9; Dramatics 9; Youth Center Board 9; Reading Club 10; Science Club 11, Secretary 10; French Club 12; 13 Club.



CHARLES HERBERT SMITH, JR.

"Smitty"

"So diligently he works to accomplish his ends. "

Football 9, 11; Current Events Club 9, 10; Industrial Arts Club 11; DE Club 12; 13 Club.

CHARLES SAMUEL SMITH

"Sam"

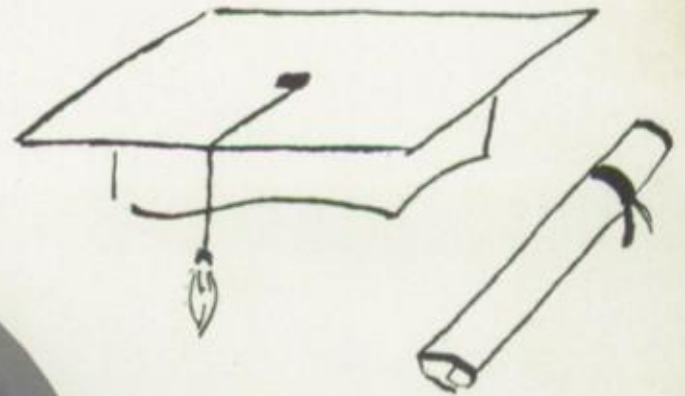
"His athletic ability is shown in his teamwork."
Football 9; Baseball 9, 10, 12; Secretary, Boys' Student Body 12; 13 Club.



JAMES BRAWNER SPEAKE

"James"

"It is the first of all problems for a man to find out what kind of work he is to do."
Current Events Club 9, 10, 11; Reading Club 10; Science Club 10; Typing Club 11, 12; 13 Club.



MARY DOUGLASS SPENCER

"Mary"

"The nicest things come in small packages."
Chandler Junior High, Richmond, Virginia.
Choir 9; Orchestra 9; Red Cross 9; Secretary Class 9; Thomas Jefferson, Richmond, Virginia. Chairman Red Cross 10; Treasurer, Homeroom 10; Choir 10, 11; Christian Youth League 10, 11; Orchestra 10, 11; James Blair; French Club 12.



RONALD STEWART

"Ronnie"

"True luck consists not in holding the best cards at the table."
Current Events Club 9; Dramatics Club 9; Golf Team 11; Sports Club 9; Youth Center Board 11, 12; Student Council 12; Treasurer, Class 12; French Club 12; 13 Club.





ELIZABETH CAROL SUTTON

"Betty Carol"

"Humility, that sweet root from which all heavenly virtues shoot."

Nursing Club 9; Chorus 9, 10, 11; Civic Club 9, 10; Business Manager, Blarion 12; Girls' Advisory Council 12; 13 Club.



GEORGE DAVID THOMPSON

"David"

"Brains, ambition, and determination are necessary for success."

Football 9; Band 9, 10, 11; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Boys' Advisory Council 11; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Vice-President, Class 12; 13 Club.



WILLIAM ALBERT THOMPSON, JR.

"Billy"

"His wit is the entertainment of others."

Reading Club 9; Safety Patrol 9; Band 9, 10, 11; Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 9, 10, 11; All-State Workshop Band 10; Dance Band 10; Baseball 10, 12, Manager 11; Civic Club 11; Monogram Club 11, 12; Boys' Advisory Council 12; Dramatics 12; Track 12; 13 Club.



NANCY LEE WALTRIP

"Nancy"

"Where there is laughter one finds a merry heart."

Nursing Club 9; Reading Club 10; Social Dancing 10, 11; Basketball 11; Civic Club 11; Reporter, FHA 12; Secretary, FBLA 12.

ANN COURTNEY WARD

"Ancy"

"Study is the best policy."

Dramatics 9; General Chorus 10; Reading Club 10;
Selected Chorus 10; Art Club 11; Photography Club
11; National Honor Society 11, 12; Art Editor, Bee
Hive 12; Student Council 12; 13 Club.



ROBERT FENTON WELLMAN, JR.

"Elmoe"

"To err is human; to forgive is necessary."

Mooresville, North Carolina 9, 10; Band 9,
Color Guard Sergeant, Drum Leader 10;
Football 9, 10, 11; Track 9, 10, 11; Wrestling
9, 10; James Blair 11, 12; Class Play 11;
Treasurer, Class 11; Bus Driver 12.



JUNE MOORE WHITACRE

"June"

"Reason and judgment are the qualities of
a good leader."

Class President 9, 10; Student Council 9, 10,
11, 12; Recorder, Code of Ethics Council 11;
Vice-President, SCA 11; Basketball 11, 12;
Monogram Club 11, 12.



ALICE VALENTINE WHITE

"Vicki"

"Striking from the calendar unborn tomorrow and
dead yesterday."

Chorus 9; Sports Club 9; Civic Club 10, 11; Social
Dancing 11; Majorette 11, Drum Majorette 12;
Blarion 12.





ROBERT HARRY WILLIAMS

"Bob"

"Take the brush, O Master, and paint your pictures."
Carlisle, Pennsylvania 9; Salzeburg, Austria 10; Dramatics 10; Legham, Italy 11; Art Club 11; Art Editor Yearbook 11; Basketball Manager 11; Chess Club 11; Reporter 11; James Blair 12; Dramatics 12.



JOAN ANNA ELIZABETH WIMMER

"Joni"

"Her abilities are abundant, her achievements many!"

FHA 9, 10; Civic Club Treasurer 10, 11; Class Play 11; President, FTA 11; Basketball Manager 11, 12; Blarion 11; Editor Blarion 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Girls' Advisory Council 12; Student Council 12.



ROY DAVID YOUNG

"Roy"

"The virtue lies in the struggle, not the prize."
Football 9; Sports Club 9; Current Events Club 11; Track 11; 13 Club.



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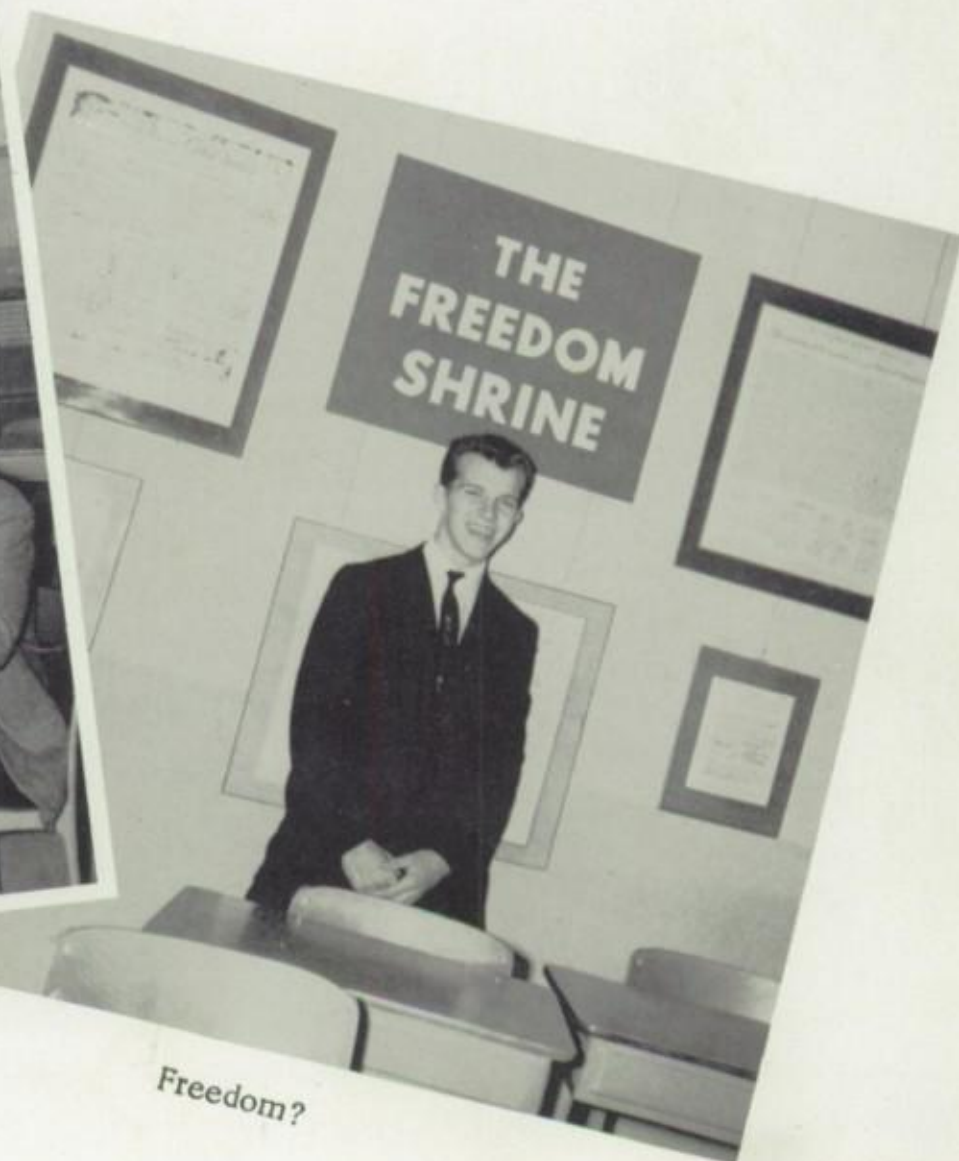
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MISS GENELLE CALDWELL
MRS. CARRA DILLARD

Officers

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BETTY HARGRAVE - - - - - Secretary
RICHARD COTTINGHAM - - - - - President
DAVID THOMPSON - - - - - Vice-President



All right, you were elected, so
what?



Freedom?

Senior



Best Looking
GALE ABBOTT, GAYLORD SHELDON



Best Dressed
BETTIE HARGRAVE, CLARENCE RICHARDSON



Most Scholarly
GRACE PHELPS, RONNIE STEWART

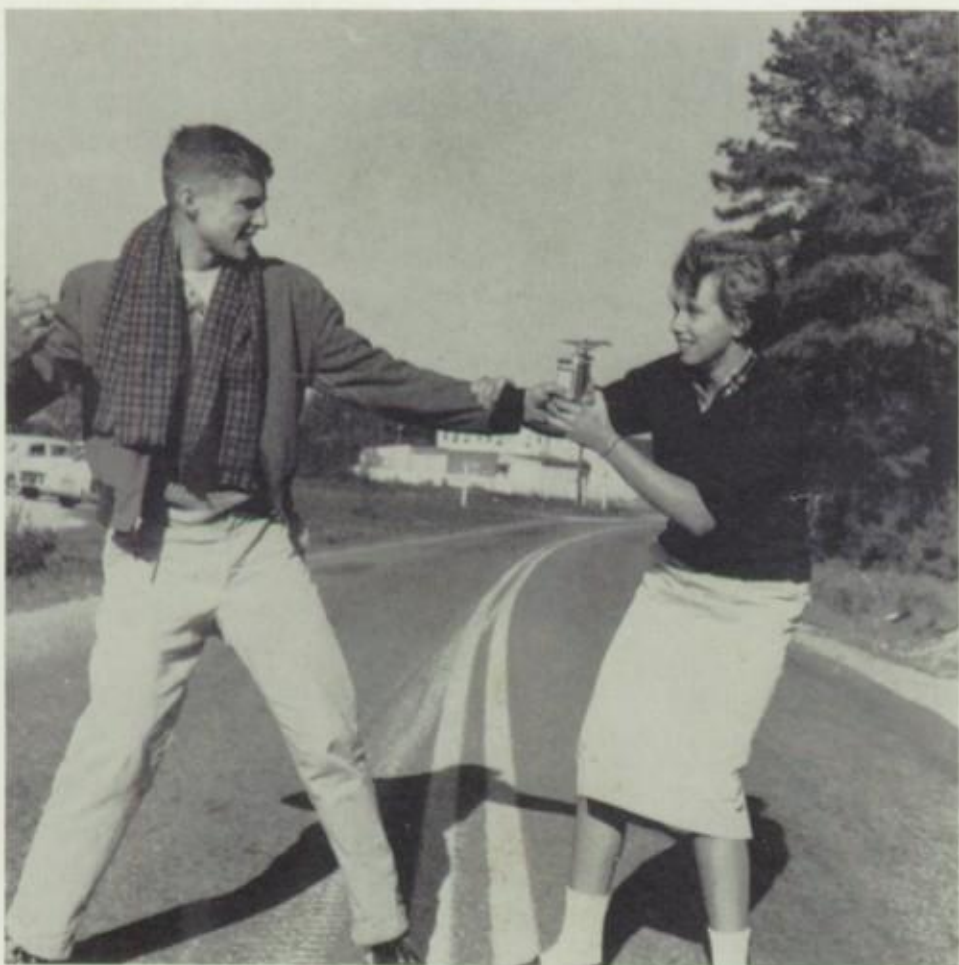


Most Likely to Succeed
JUNE WHITACRE, BILL BOWRY

Superlatives



Most Talented
CYNTHIA ROWE, RANDY CARTER



Wittiest
ELIZABETH MATTHEWS, BOB WELLMAN

Best All Around
BETTY JO COWLES, BILL THOMPSON



Most Athletic
PAULA BATCHELDER, GAYLORD SHELDON



Most Contributions to Class
JUNE WHITACRE, BILL BOWRY







juniors



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PHILLIS RATHBUN,



SANDRA RICHARDSON,
JACKIE ROBERTS,



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SUE ROGERS,



BILL SCHRUBBER,
GROVER SHELDON,



BARBARA SMITH,
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ANN SNYDER



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Miss Spotswood Hunnicutt.



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PHOEBE SULLENBERBER,



NORMAN SULSER,



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JUDY THOMPSON,



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BARBARA VAUGHAN,



CAROLYN WALTRIP, WILLIAM WALTRIP
LARRY WALTRIP,



CAROL WILLIAMS, RAYMOND WRIGHT
PHILIP WOMICK,



LINDA YATES



The annual Sadie Hawkins Dance follows the Sadie Hawkins Day race in which the James Blair bachelors are caught by the lovely James Blair girls. At the dance some of the Dogpatch characters were portrayed by juniors. One of these was Marrin' Sam who married all those hicky boys caught during the Sadie Hawkins Season.



sophomores



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Secretary:
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Herbert Harrison



Olli Havola
Pauline Hedrick



Phillip Helslander



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Robert Hewlett

Willy Mae Hicks
Bucky Hitchens

John Hoar
Pinder Hudson

Randy Jackson
Sammy Kiaser

Gloria Koger



Sue Lance
Betty Anne Landon

Loretta Lanehart
Ann Lanier

Charlotte Lee
Terry Lee

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Tommy Lewis

Allen Lindsey



Freddie Maloney
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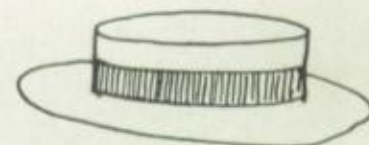
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Janer Purcell



Brenda Ratcliffe
Bill Reese

Patsy Riley
Robert Ripley

Shanda Roles





Mary Jane Romer
Betty Lee Rowe

Micheal Runyans
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Becky Scott

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Kay Shelton



Mickey Shelton
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John Smart

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Marilyn Smith

Peggy Smith
Tommy Spivey



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Catherine Thompson

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Hugh Thompson

Richard Thompson
Roy Tobbler



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Bobby Waltrip

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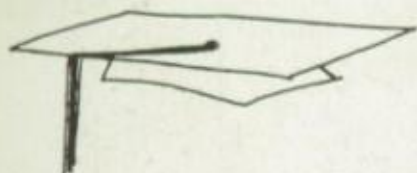
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Cathy Riley
Chris Rogers



Randy Rogers
Brenda Rumfelt



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Linda Shelton



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Joyce Smith



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Mr. Vaughan, Mrs. Harrison



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Pauline Smith

Norma Snow
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Peggy Sutphin



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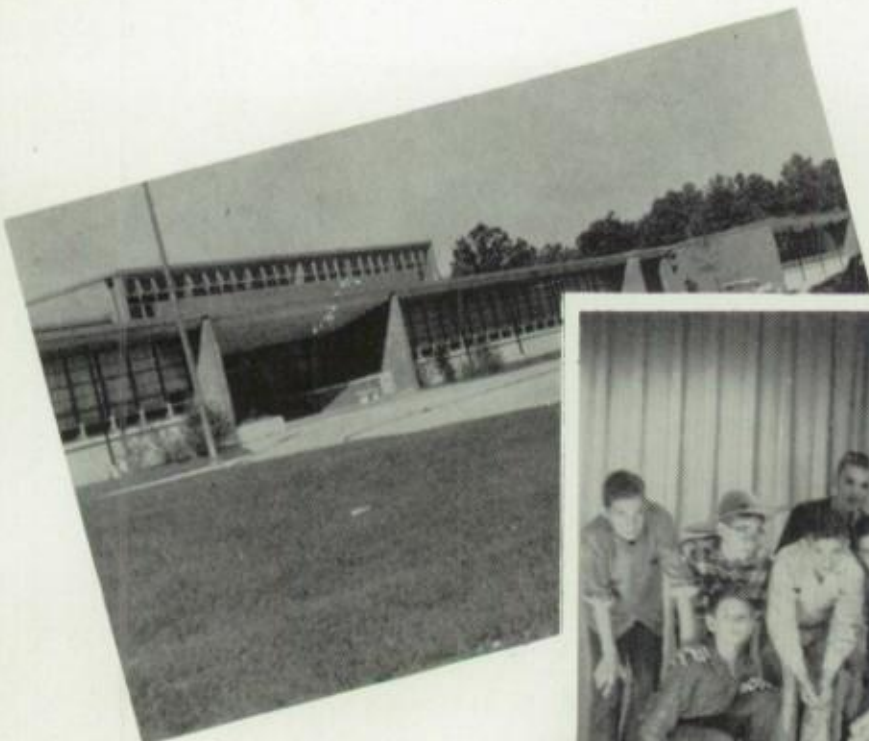
Russel Warburton
Sarah Watkins

Ernie West



Stephen White
Paul Wiffin

Roger Willitts
Regecca Zuzma





junior high



Emmy Alexander
Marie Anderson

Patsy Amos
Billy Apperson



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Margaret Phelps

Chip Pittman



John Potts

Anne Pritchard



Kermit Quick





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Eddie Ratcliffe

Sandra Reese
Patrick Reineicke

Carolyn Ripley
Vernon Roach

Bruce Robertson
Alfred Rogers

Gretchen
Rogers



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Kathy Runyans

Fred Savage
Carol Schreiber

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Mary Sheldon



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Danny Waltrip
Norma Waltrip

John Ward
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Peggy Whitt

Rackel Wilkerson
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Sandra
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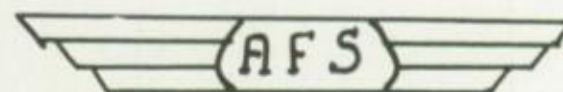
Miss Eunice Hall



The Bee Hive takes this opportunity to pay tribute to Miss Eunice Hall. Miss Hall has been coordinator of the Junior High school and sponsor for the Junior S. C. A. She has devoted many years to the Williamsburg-James City County Schools and through her wise counselling has inspired countless students to continue their studies and pursue the courses for which they are best fitted. Her interesting classes have stimulated her students to further activity in seeking extra material beyond regular class work. Miss Hall has sponsored many civic activities including community council and the Youth Center. She is a member of the James Blair faculty who will be long remembered.



activities

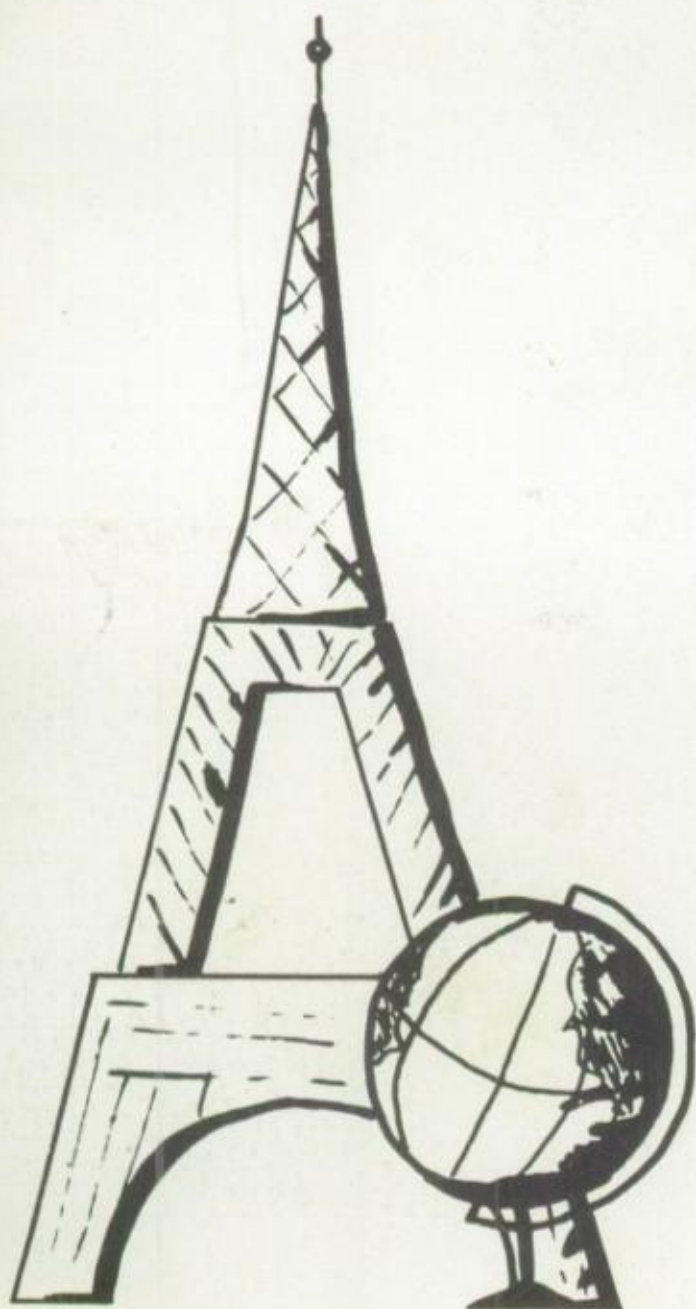


Foreign Exchange student
Gale Abbott

American Field Service

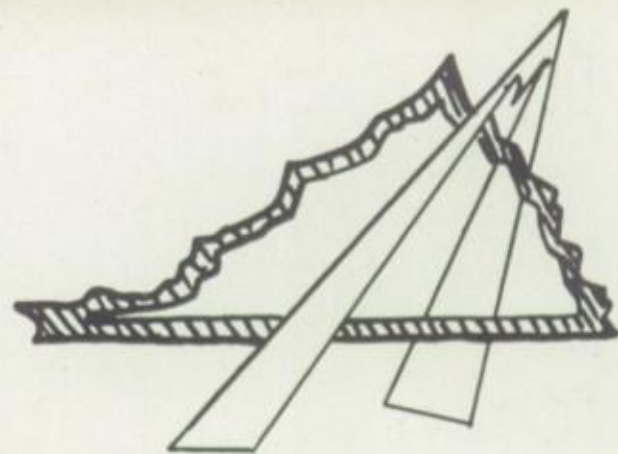
A. F. S. originated in 1914 when a group of Americans in Paris formed an ambulance service, which during World War I, carried more than 500,000 wounded. In 1939, the A. F. S. was re-activated to serve in the second war. After the war, the international scholarship program was founded to further extend the A. F. S. tradition of world understanding and service.

Foreign students from twenty-three countries spend a year in American homes. A. F. S. also sends American students abroad on the summer exchange student program. Teenagers 16 to 17 years of age and juniors in high school are eligible to apply. A summer adventure abroad opens doors to new horizons, knowledge, understanding, and peace. Perhaps the greatest of these is peace as expressed in the A. F. S. motto - "Walk together, talk together, O ye peoples of the earth: then and only then shall ye have peace."





Boys' *and* *Girls'* *State*



Betty Jo Cowles, Ronnie Stewart, Bill Bowry, Betty Hargrave. Absent George Lunger.



Girls' State and Boys' State were held July 13-19, 1958 on the V. P. I. Campus. Two girls and three boys from James Blair traveled to Blacksburg, Virginia where they met students from other schools in Virginia. They set up miniature governments with elected officials. They learned more about governing so that they would be able to take back to their schools better ways of executing their student governments.



*National
Honor
Society*



President
ANN COURTNEY WARD



GALE ABBOTT



PAULA BATCHELDER



ANN DUKE



Sponsor
MISS GENELLE CALDWELL

The National Honor Society is given no special jobs. The members decide each year what their projects will be. It has been the custom during recent years for the members to tutor students who need help with their studies. This was continued this year.

The members of the Honor Society are selected by the faculty on the basis of their character, scholarship, leadership, and service. At the end of each term new members, selected from the Junior and Senior Classes, are tapped.



JOAN WIMMER



GRACE PHELPS



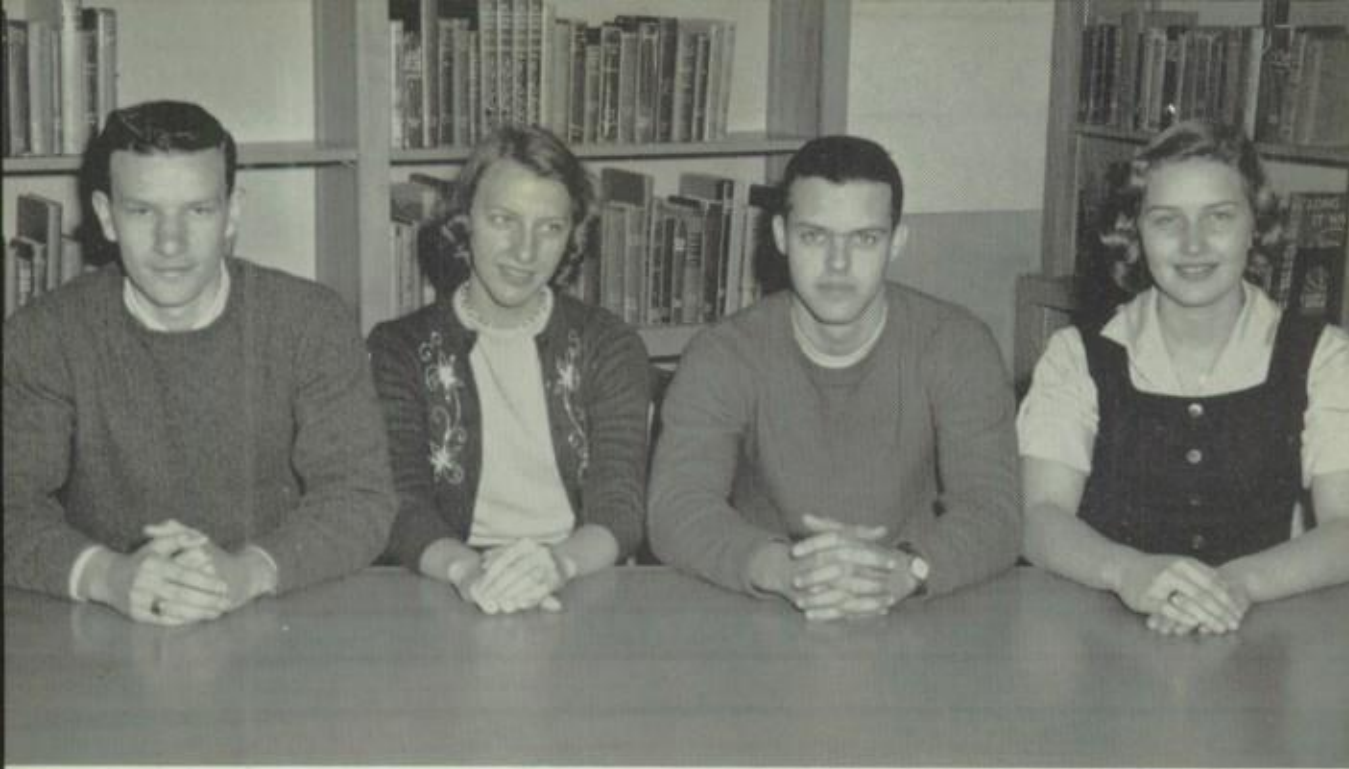
MARGARET HOLLAND



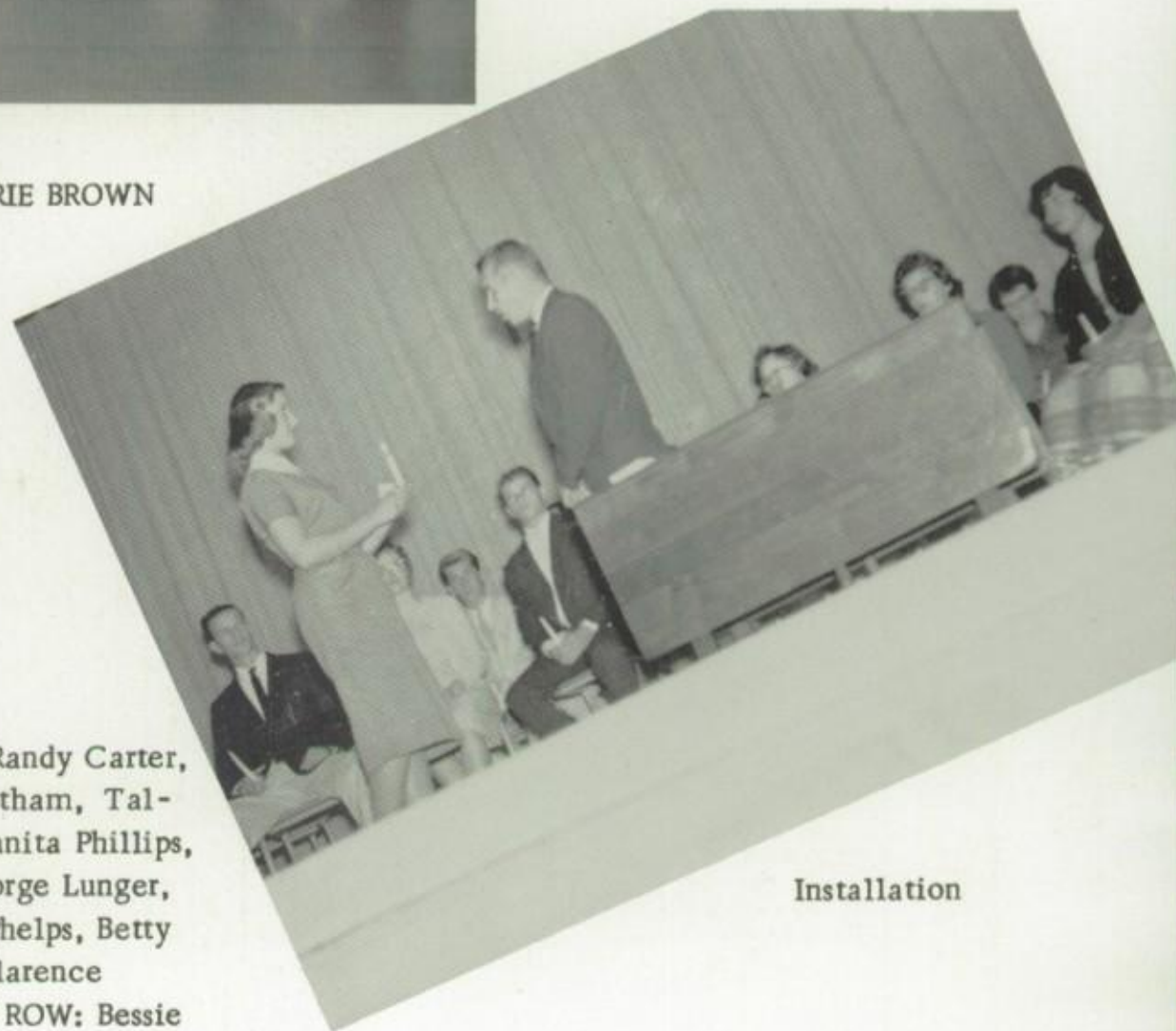
JOAN LEE

Student Council

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 Secretary - - - - JACKIE ROBERTS
 Vice President - GEORGE LUNGER
 President - - - - - GALE ABBOTT



Sponsor: MISS MAJORIE BROWN



Installation

FOURTH ROW: Arthur Henretta, Tommy Lewis, Randy Carter, Richard Cottingham, Ronnie Stewart, Wade Cheatham, Talmadge Alphin. THIRD ROW: Margaret Smart, Juanita Phillips, Cathy Ridenour, Lucy Person. SECOND ROW: George Lunger, Bill Bowry, Jackie Roberts, Gale Abbott, Grace Phelps, Betty Jo Cowles, Jordan Carter, Brantley Henderson, Clarence Richardson, Bobby Richardson, Jerry Otey. FIRST ROW: Bessie Mann, Anne Whitacre, Carolyn Hylemon, Judy Thompson, Margaret Sutton, June Whitacre, Joan Wimmer, Ann Ward, Miss Brown.



Student Council Committees



Assembly Committee: Ronnie Stewart, Alan Owens, Tommy Lewis.



Bulletin Board Committee: Carole Lanehart, Ann Ward. Absent: Betty Sutton.



Orientation Committee: Standing: Bill Bowry, George Lunger, Ronnie Stewart. Seated: Jackie Roberts, Ann Miller, Grace Phelps.



Ways and Means Committee: Bill Bowry, Tommy Lewis, Carole Lanehart.



Thought for the Day Committee: Becky Fudge. Absent: Anne Whitacre, Pat Campbell.



Senior Bulletin Board Committee: Jordan Carter, Joan Wimmer.

Junior Student Council

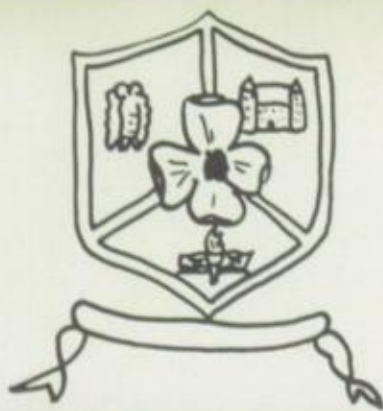
Treasurer - - RODDY MORECOCK
Secretary - - - -GEORGIA CLARK
Vice Pres. - CAROLE HOFMEYER
President - - - - BETTY SKINNER



Sponsors: Miss Eunice Hall and George Lunger.

BACK ROW: Betty Skinner, Carole Hofmeyer, Georgia Clark, Peggy Stokes, Sandra Mitchell, Linda Hewett, Barbara Loomis, Roddy Morecock, Robbie Sheldon, Bonnie Cotman, Janet Lowe, Kathy Runyans, Stetson Tinkham, Tony Ford.





Advisory Council



Girls' Advisory Council: SEATED: Joan Wimmer, Wendy Thompson, Glenda Mason, Jordan Carter, Betty Jo Cowles. STANDING: Betty Carol Sutton, Cindy Rowe, Linda Yates, Pat Campbell, Lucy Person, Dusty de Vignier.

The Girls' Advisory Council and the Boys' Advisory Council are representatives of the separate student bodies. They carry on many worthwhile projects for the benefit of their respective groups. Their main function is to discuss problems facing either the girls or the boys and solving them.



Officers: SEATED: President, Betty Jo Cowles. STANDING: Secretary, Pat Campbell; Treasurer, Cindy Rowe; Vice President, Jordan Carter.

The officers are elected by the separate groups. Two girls are elected by the girls in each class and two boys are elected by the boys in each class. The councils meet separately every Thursday.



Officers: Vice President, Mead Sharp; Secretary-Treasurer, Charles S. Smith; President, Brantley Henderson.



Boys' Advisory Council: FIRST ROW: Brantley Henderson, Lincoln Peters, Mead Sharp, Arthur Henretta, Billy Steele, Howard Lewis. BACK ROW: David Korpi, Bobby Brenegan, Charles Smith.

Youth Center Board



Officers: Ronnie Stewart, Vice President; Grace Phelps, Secretary; Ann Miller, President.



THIRD ROW: Mr. Mixon, Sponsor; Ann Miller, Nancy Covington, Howard Lewis, Jerry Jump, Peter Bosch, David McBride, Ronnie Stewart. SECOND ROW: N. Jenson, Diane Nea, Kathy Farmer, Carol Williams, Louise Timberlake, Rebecca Haden, Sue Lance, Peggy Cottingham, Cheryl Gonzales, Grace Phelps. FIRST ROW: Andrew Babb, George Sedille, Howard Brindle, Bob Gardner, John Machok, Ernest Sych.



KNEELING: Mr. John Leffel, Raymond Wright, David Korpi, David McBride, Tommy Lewis, Bill Bowry, Mr. Charles Lauck. STANDING: Jerry Davis, Bob Wellman, Jay Carter, George Lunger, Paula Batchelder, Jackie Roberts, Roger Moore, Carole Lanehart.

Student Athletic Association

The Student Athletic Association is the group of students that supports the athletic teams by doing various jobs at the games. During the games these students sell tickets, check athletic cards, direct cars, and patrol the gates. Very much credit goes to these students for their assistance in these important jobs.



Chemistry Lab Assistants

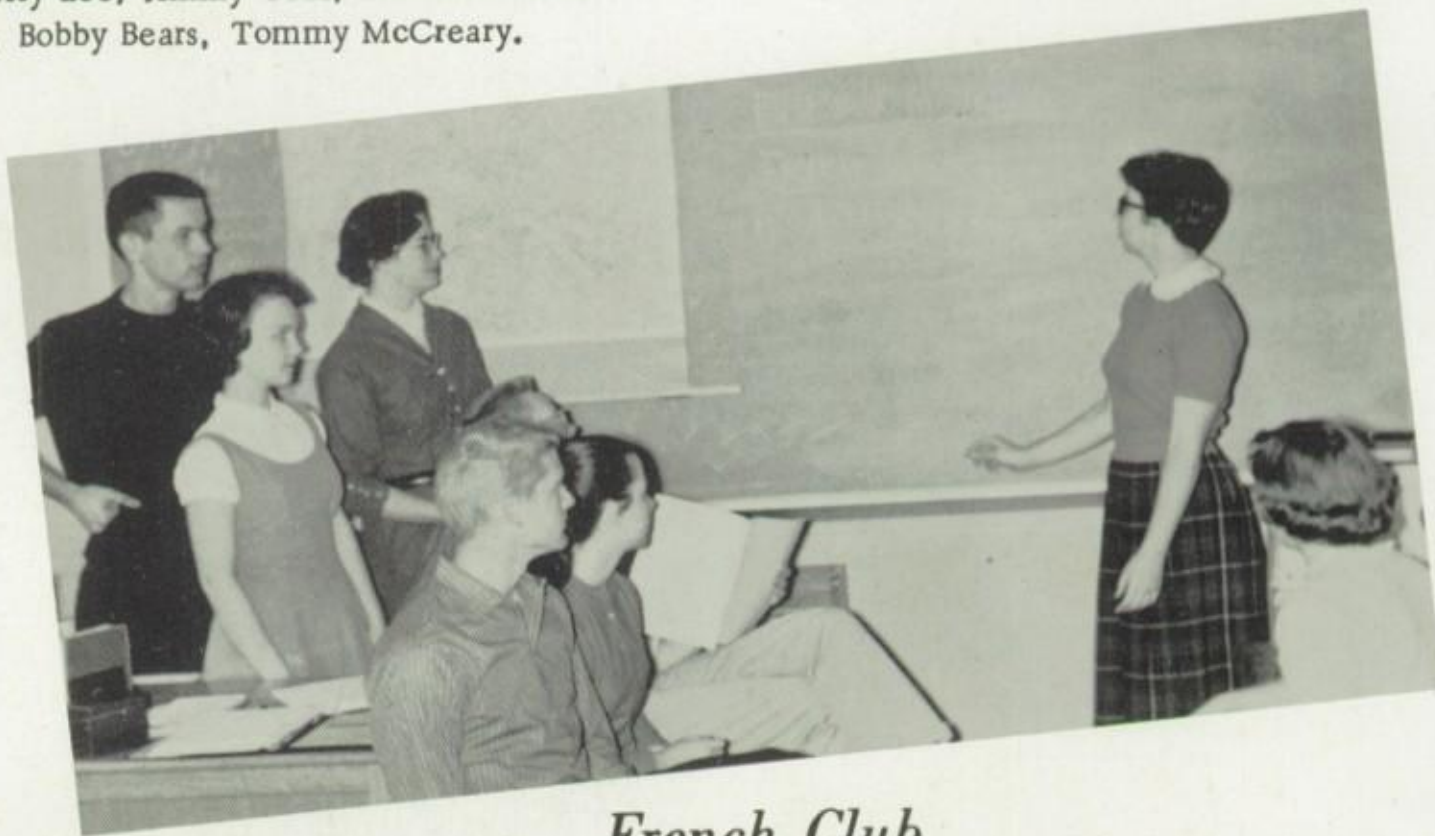


Left to right: Tommy Batchelder, Jean Robertson and Jerry Davis.



Current Events Club

BACK ROW: Areil Adams, Terry Lee, Jimmy Teal, David Stewart.
FRONT ROW: Dennis Johnson, Bobby Bears, Tommy McCreary.



French Club

Left to right: David Nunn, Mary Spencer, Ann Moss,
Norman Sulser, Bonnie Sue Sherman, Ronnie Stewart,
Joan Lee, Linda Neese.



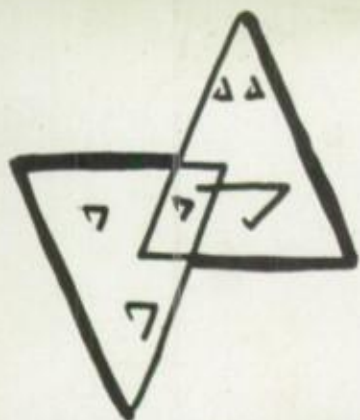


*Selected
Choral Group*



*Future
Homemakers
of
America*





Dramatic Club



The Dramatics Club, new this year, meets on Tuesdays and Thursdays during Activity Period. Talented students, under the direction of Miss Lenz, begin to learn the elements of acting in this club.

This year they presented a Christmas program and also a play, *Our Town*.

Sponsor: MISS LENZ



D.E.



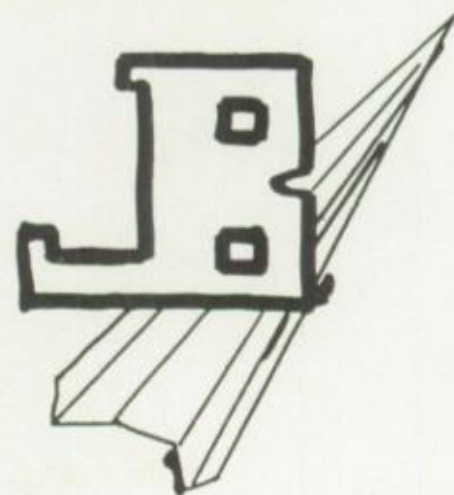
BOYS: Wayne Brett, Ralph Hazelwood, Charles H. Smith, Freddy Robertson, Earl Meadows. GIRLS: Betty Jane Millirons, Sue Rogers, Ruth Dinwiddie.

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THIRD ROW: Miss Dorothy Diradour, Sponsor; Marjorie Martin, Hazel Nixon, Joyce Harrison, Virginia Martin, Betty Boswell, Zonia Baker, Louise Barnett, Betty Lou Koger. SECOND ROW: Kenny Rogers, Natalie McKown, Joan Duffy, Betty Hargrave. FIRST ROW: Carolyn Harris, Mary Lee Cook, Rebecca Haden, Peggy Anderson, Margaret Thompson, Sandra Richardson.

Monogram Club



Officers: Gaylord Sheldon, Vice President; Paula Batchelder, Treasurer; Coach Tom Hamilton; Joan Meadows, Secretary; and Clarence Richardson, President.

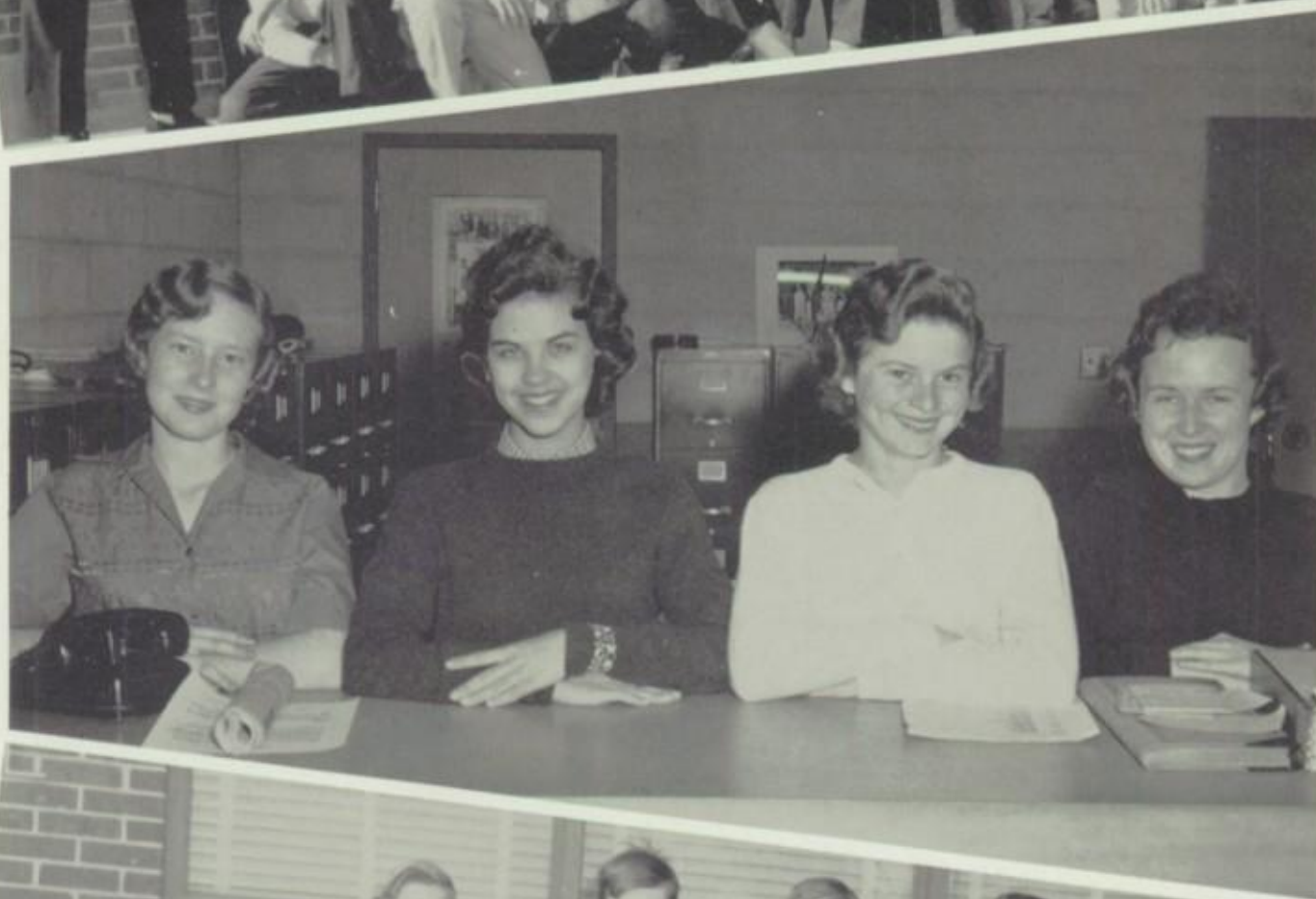
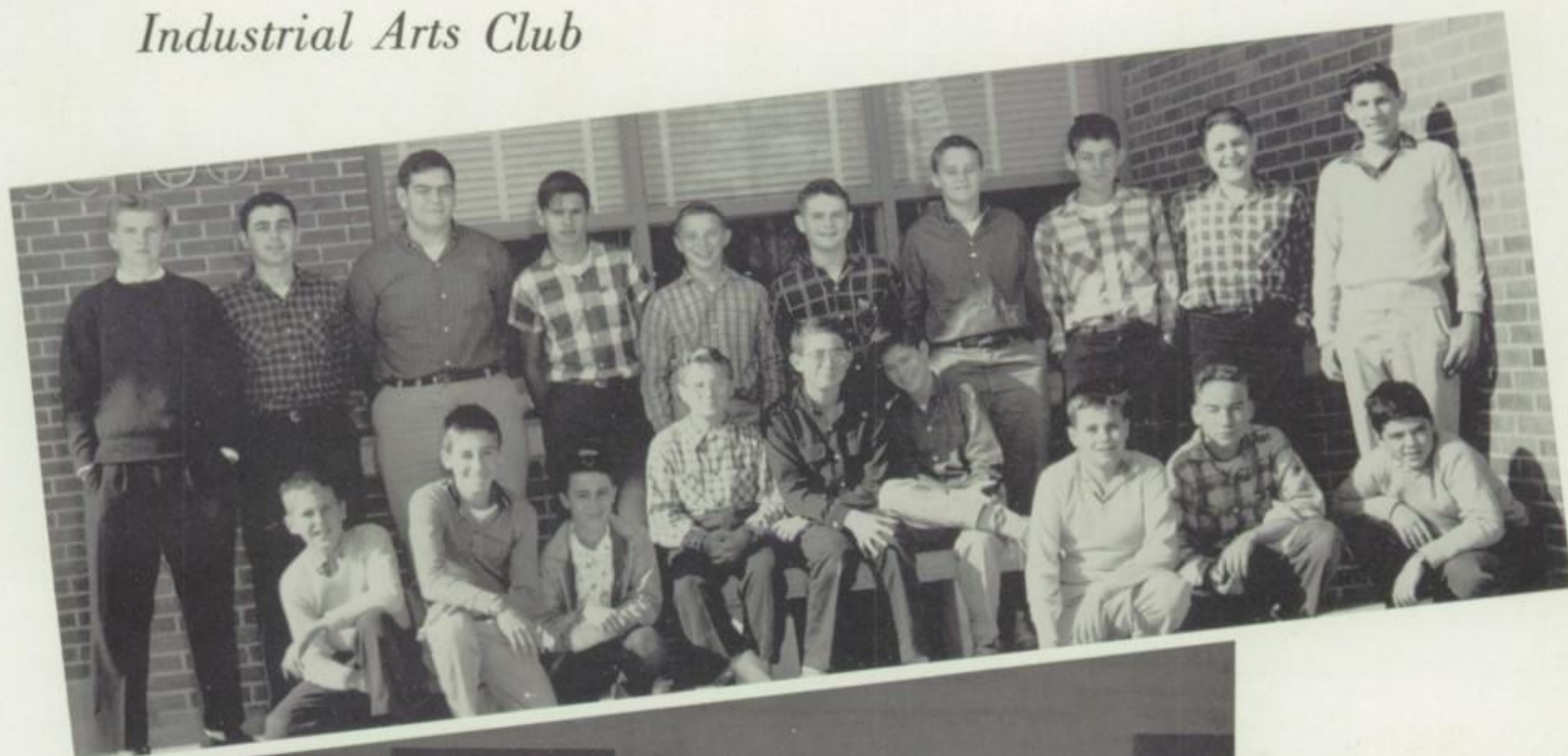


Girls' Coach: MRS. BAZZLE



FIRST ROW: Meadows, Hynes, Hewlett, Vaughn, Hylemon, Wimmer, Whitacre, Caldwell, Batchelder. SECOND ROW: McKown, Marshall, Boswell, O'Neal, Matheny, Vaughan, Spangler, Sheldon, Baganakis, Richardson. THIRD ROW: Bowry, Meadows, Douglas, Moss, Stout, Henderson.

Industrial Arts Club



Office Assistants

Diane Fouler
Glenda Mason
Lucy Moore
Wendy Thompson



Projectionists Club

*James
Blair
Band*



The Marching Band



Senior band members
Alice White and Randy Carter

The James Blair Band





Alice leads the band off the field.

The James Blair Band, conducted by Mr. McCandless meets every day at first period. It is a regular class and participants receive credit for band as they would in any other class. The band plays at our football games and also in various parades. One of their most important activities is a concert which they perform in the Spring. The Majorettes led by Alice White add color to all the performances of the band.



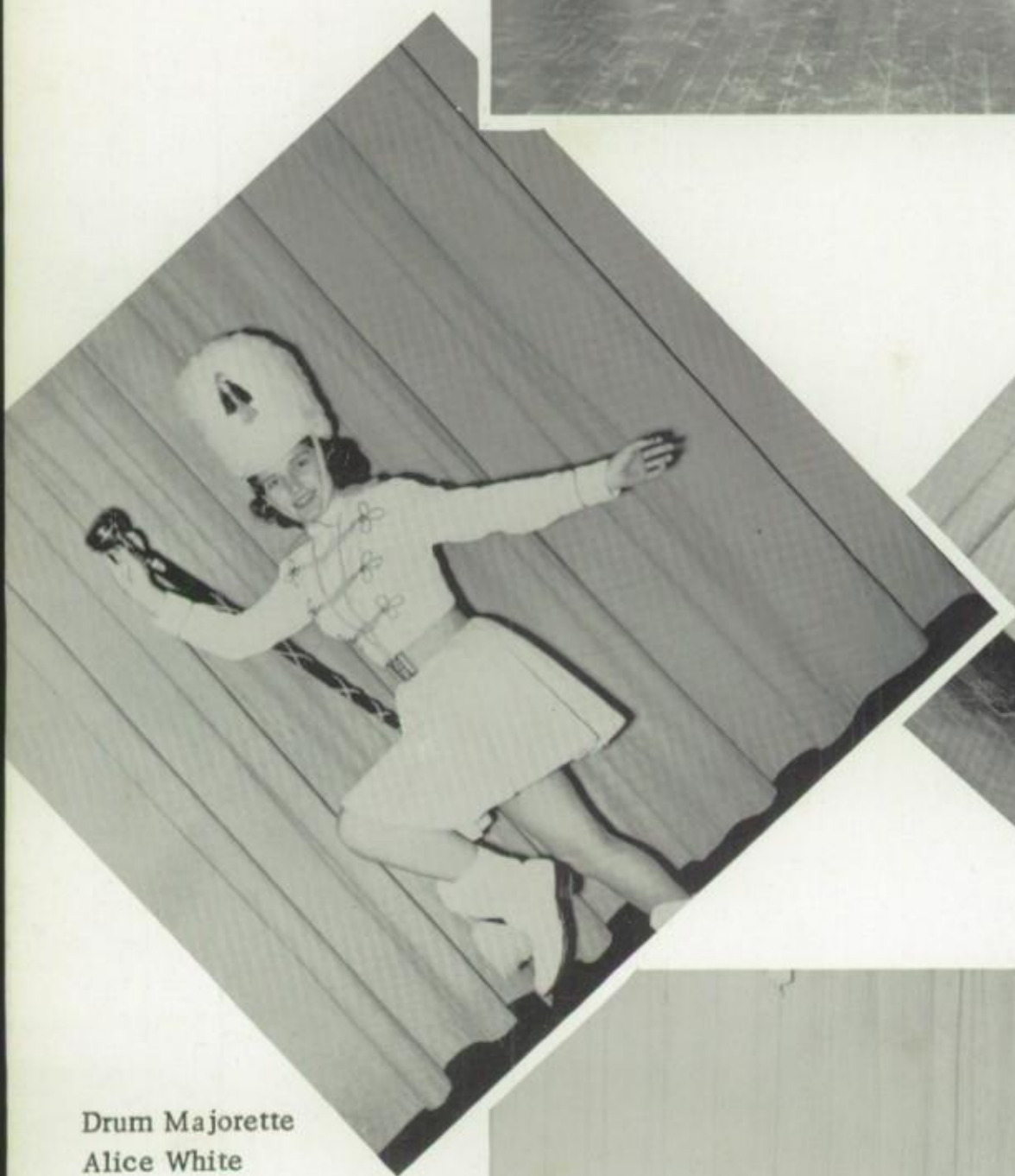
Playing...
of course!



Blair Majorettes



Roberta Garrett
Marilyn Smith
Lucy Person
Diane Mason
Brenda Angle
Mascot, Patty Hile



Drum Majorette
Alice White



Mascot
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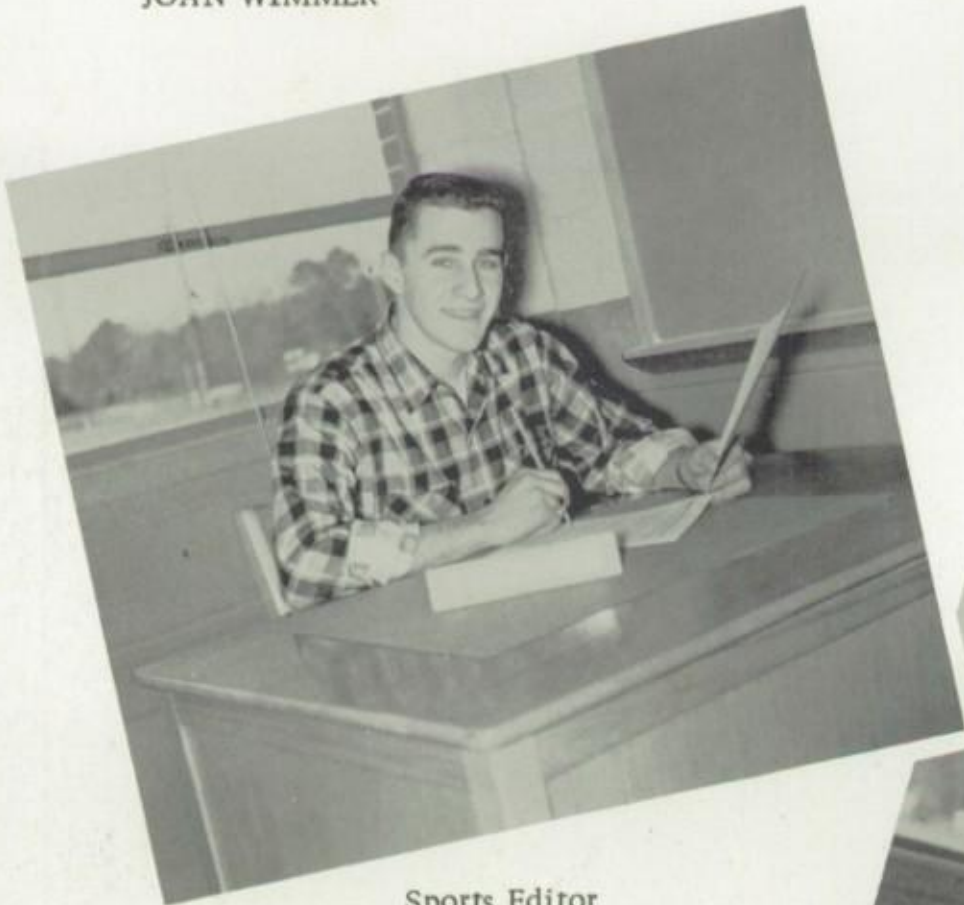




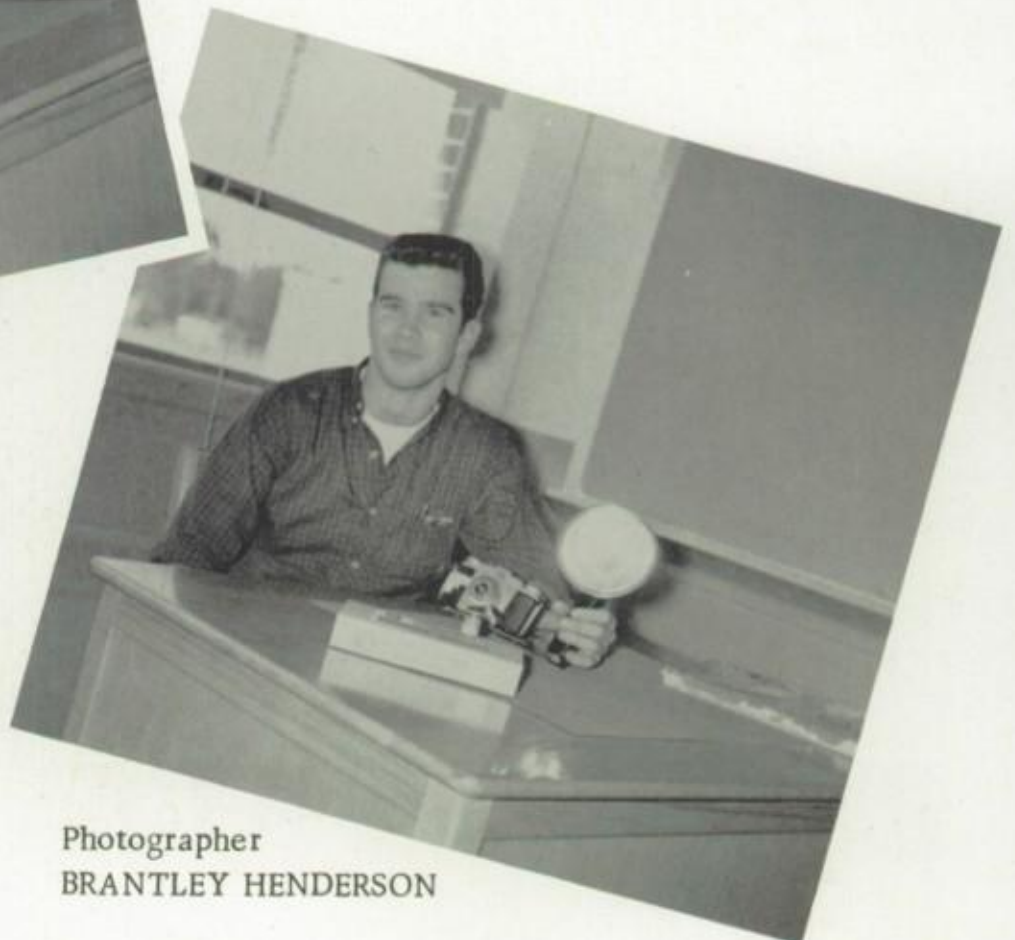
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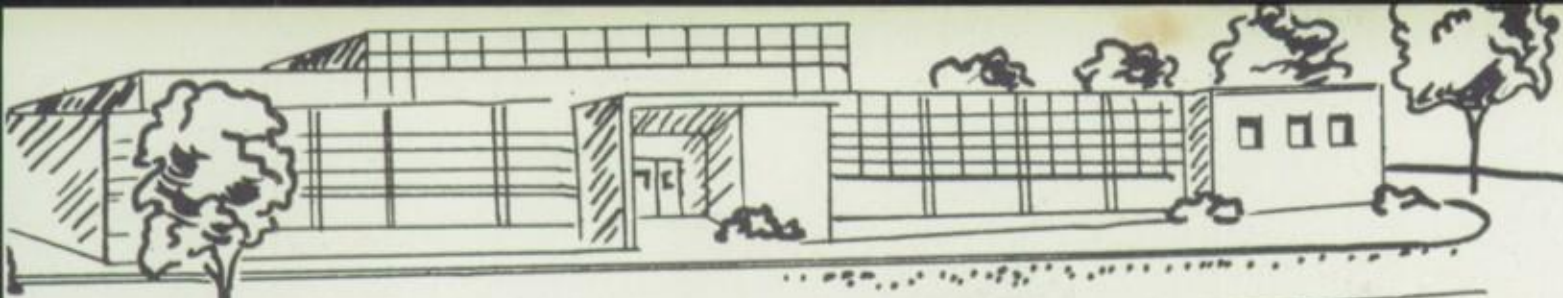
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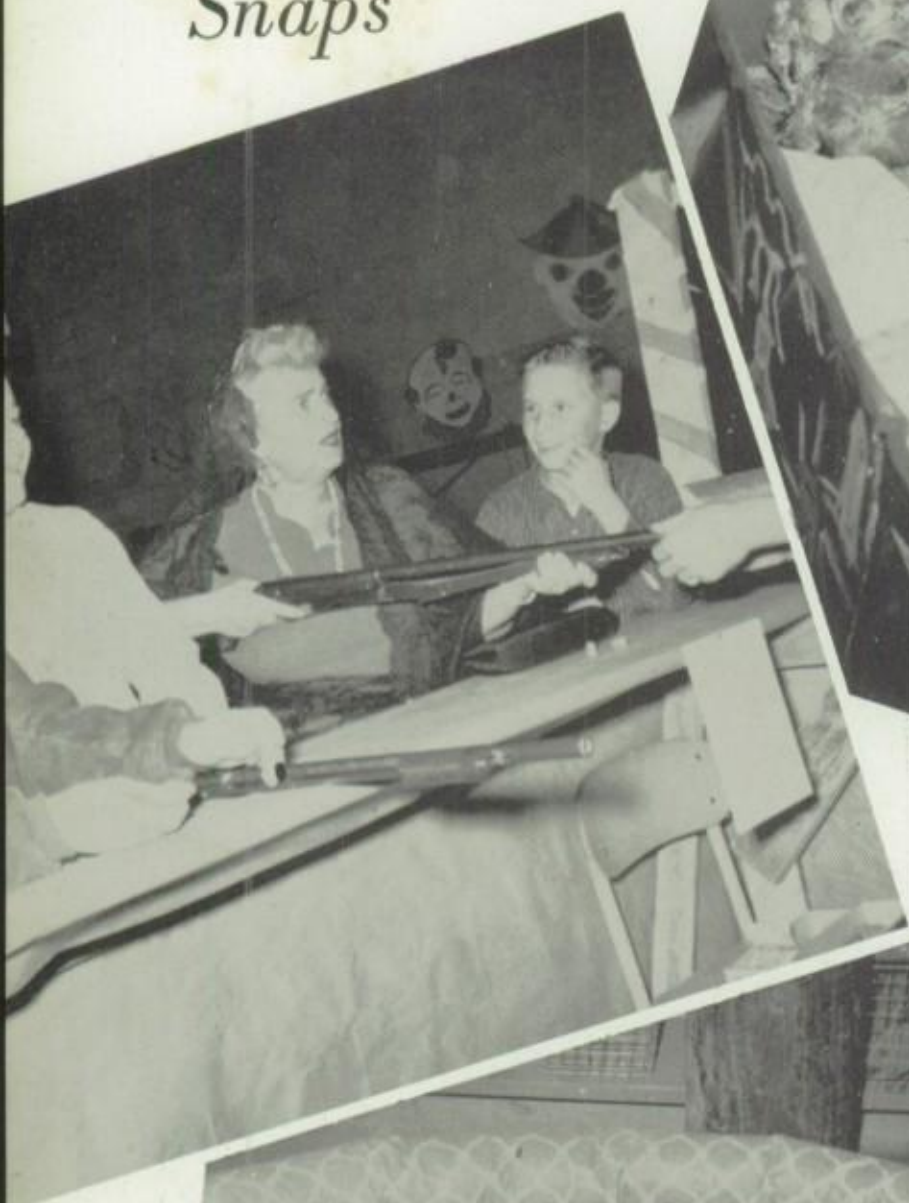
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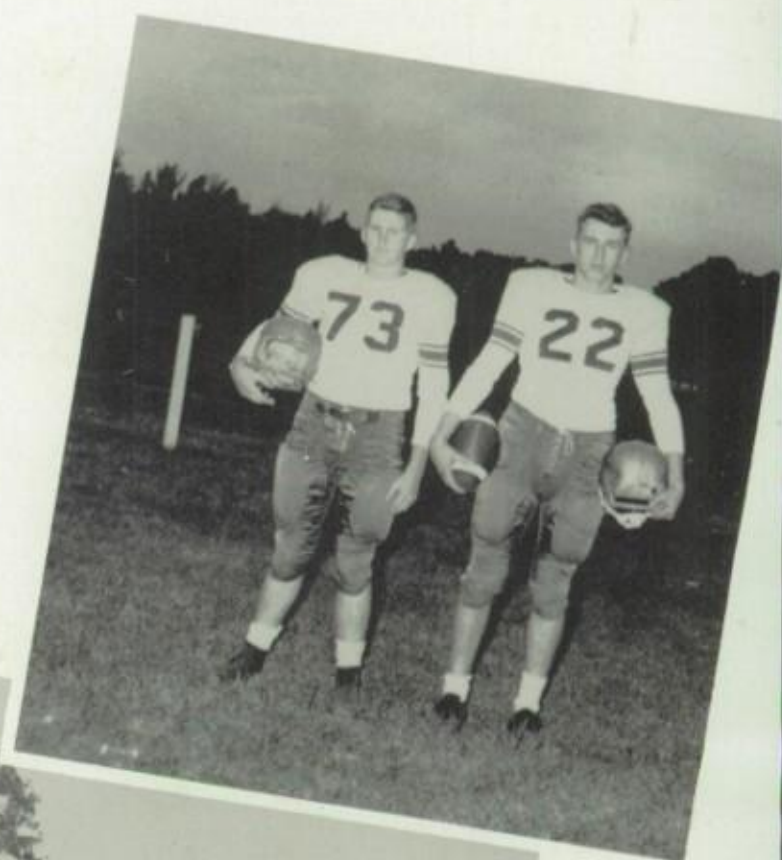


FIRST ROW: Henderson, Meadows, Jump, Baganakis, Sheldon, Meadows, Thompson, Barnes, Douglas.
 SECOND ROW: Lowe, Bosch, Sulser, Stout, Marvin, Davis, Marsdon, Green, Batchelder, Niver.
 THIRD ROW: Sheldon, Waltrip, Moss, O'Neal, Caldwell, VanAusdale, Mitchell, Henderson, Scruggs, West.
 FOURTH ROW: Coach Hamilton, Thompson, Hitchens, Havola, Coach Spalding, Coach Hindmarsh.



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Co-Captains
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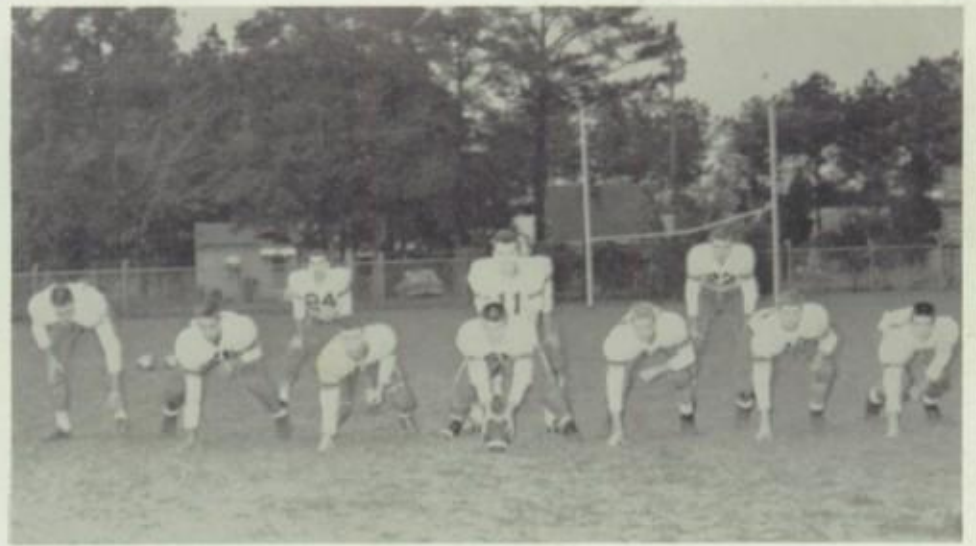


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"Brother! What's ahead?"



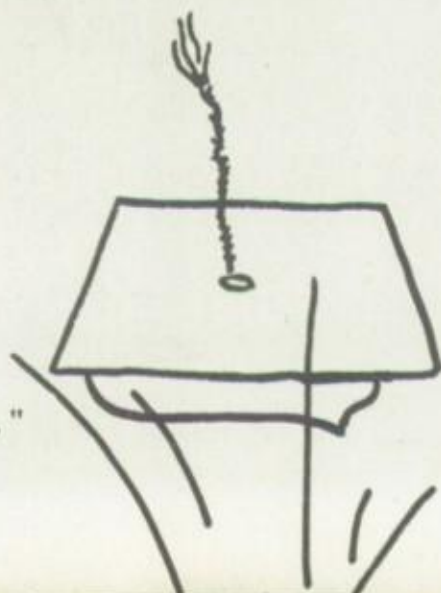
OFFENSIVE TEAM, left to right: Marvin, VanAusdale, O'Neal, Meadows, Sulser, Meadows, Scruggs. BACK: Stout, Douglas, Moss, Sheldon.



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"Hurray for the JayBees."

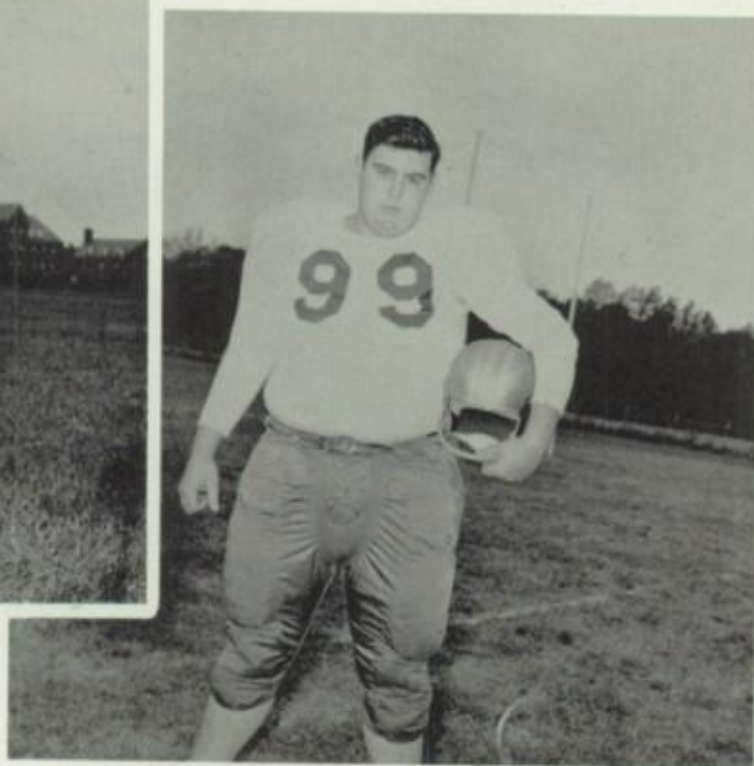


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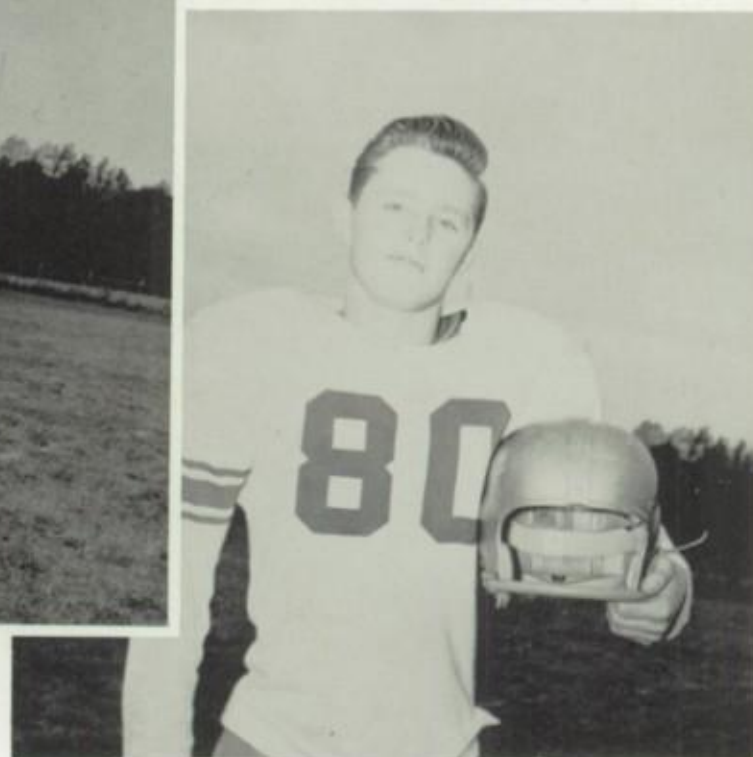
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Defensive End



BRANTLEY HENDERSON
Halfback



EARL MEADOWS
Tackle



GAYLORD SHELDON
Halfback

SCORES

We

12

45

13

0

20

0

27

48

35

Northampton

Windsor

Gloucester

Virginia Beach

Smithfield

York

Varina

Chuckatuck

Poquoson

RECORD

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End

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Forward



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Forward



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Guard



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Guard



ESTHER MARSHALL
Guard

SCORES	We	They
Smithfield	31	25
Poquoson	40	37
Walsingham	26	22
York	56	24
York	56	18
Gloucester	29	33
Walsingham	63	24
Poquoson	35	29
Gloucester	23	44
Smithfield	Not played	



NATALIE McKOWN
Guard



NANCY LUNGER
Guard



DIANE BRANSCOMBE
Guard

LINDA SHELTON
Guard





FIRST ROW: Marshall, Whitacre, Lunger, Batchelder, and Vaughan.
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 THIRD ROW: Moore, Mann, Shelton, B. Vaughan, Mathe-
 ny, and Mason.



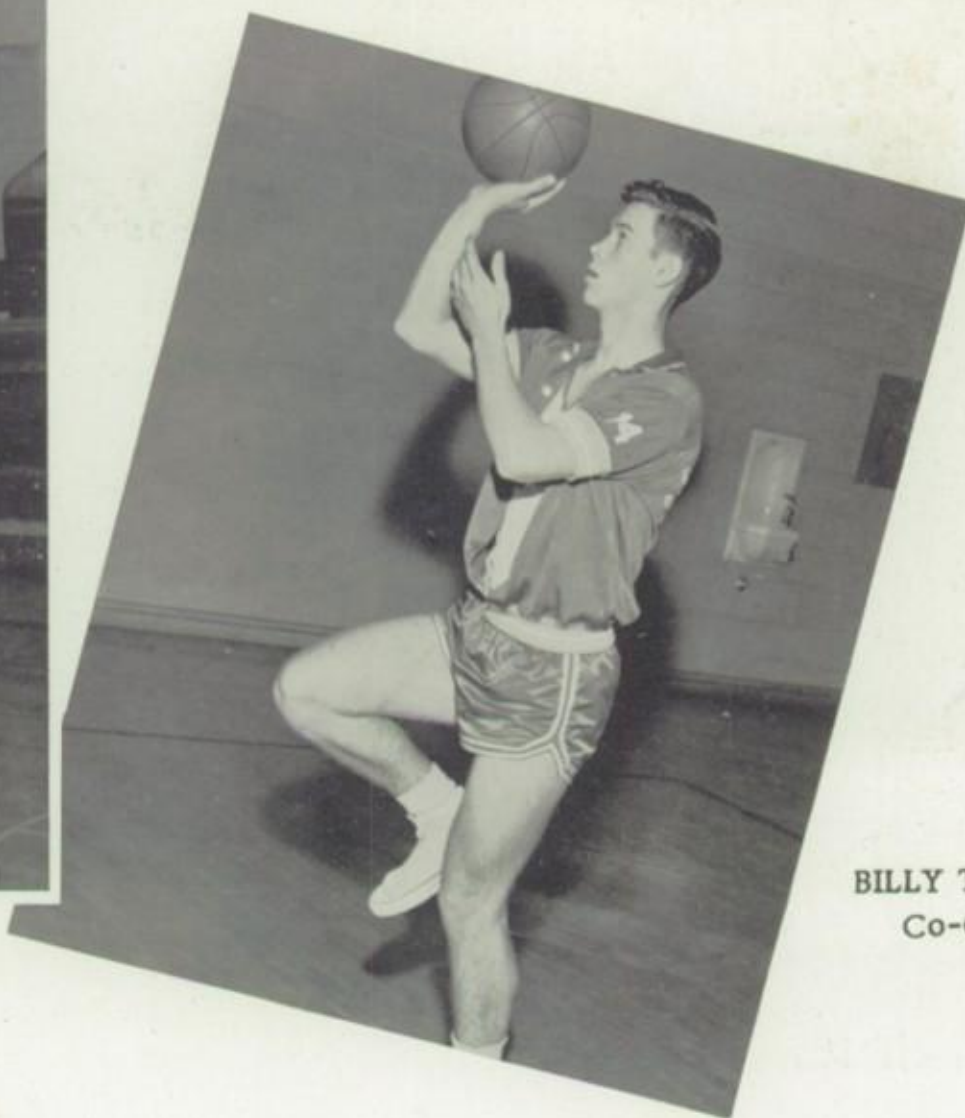
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Co-Captain



BILLY THOMPSON
Co-Captain



THOMAS HAMILTON
Coach

Blair Varsity

SCORES	We	They
Northampton	63	90
Warwick	28	50
Mathews	50	40
Northampton	52	22
West Point	60	58
Gloucester	41	45
Smithfield	48	54
Poquoson	36	34
Virginia Beach	53	52
Deep Creek	25	34
Northampton	42	39
York	61	38
York	64	53
Gloucester	48	50
Virginia Beach	45	73
Deep Creek	40	55
Poquoson	56	35
Mathews	52	68
Smithfield	Not played	



ARTHUR HENRIETTA
Guard



TOMMY MARVIN
Forward



RONNIE STEWART
Center



COACH HAMILTON
BILLY THOMPSON
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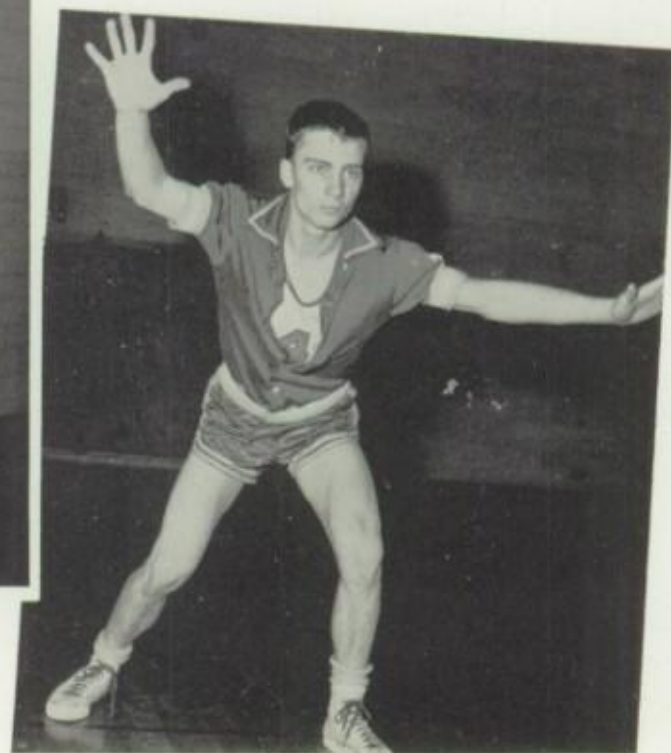
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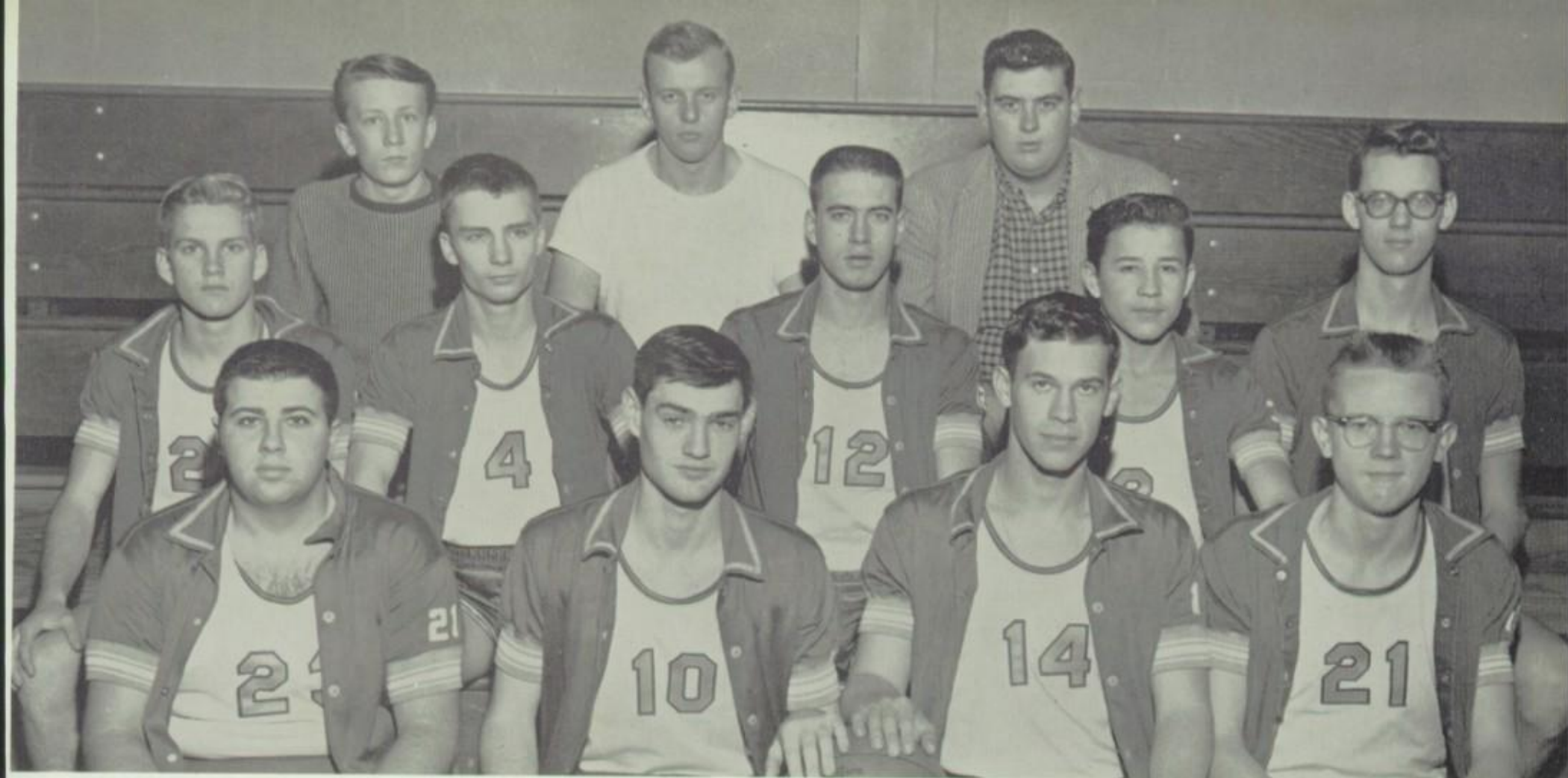


RICHARD MEADOWS
Guard



PHIL GREEN
Center
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Guard





FIRST ROW: Baganakis, D. Thompson, B. Thompson, Stewart. SECOND ROW: Meadows, Douglas, Marvin, Henreitta, Green. THIRD ROW: Havola, Coach Hamilton, Barnes.



CHARLES BARNES
Manager



OLLI HAVOLA
Guard



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Junior Varsity

SCORES

We		They
0	Warwick	25
28	Christchurch	0
7	George Wythe	6
0	Gloucester	9
0	Thorpe	30

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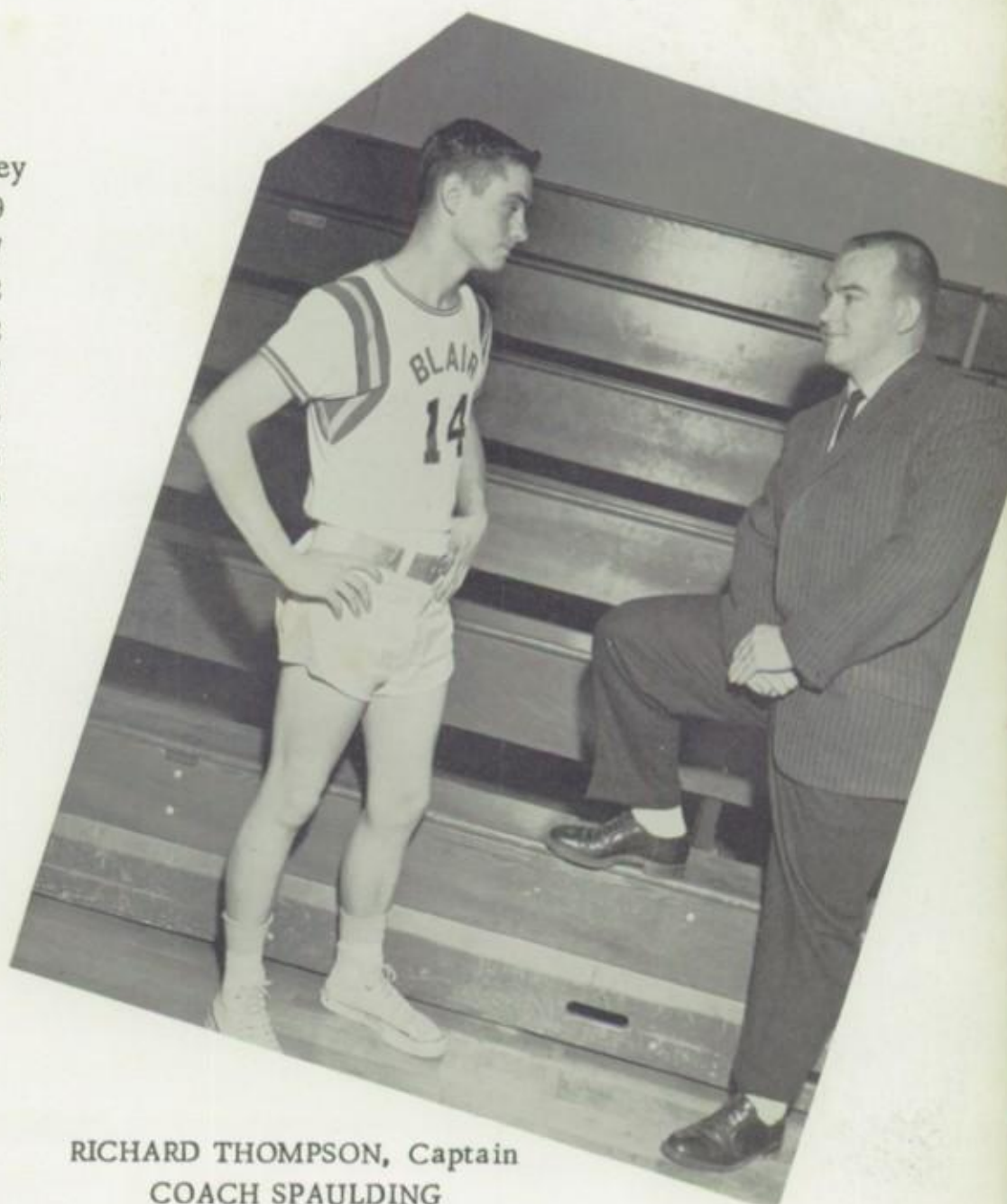
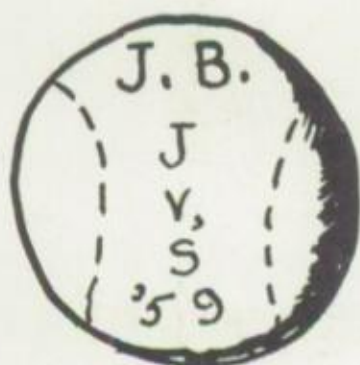




FRONT ROW: Miller, Alphin, Thompson, Lewis, Hogg. SECOND ROW: Smith, Lindsey, Marion, Brenegan. THIRD ROW: Peters, Van Ausdale, Havola, Heuvel, Coach Spaulding.

Junior Varsity

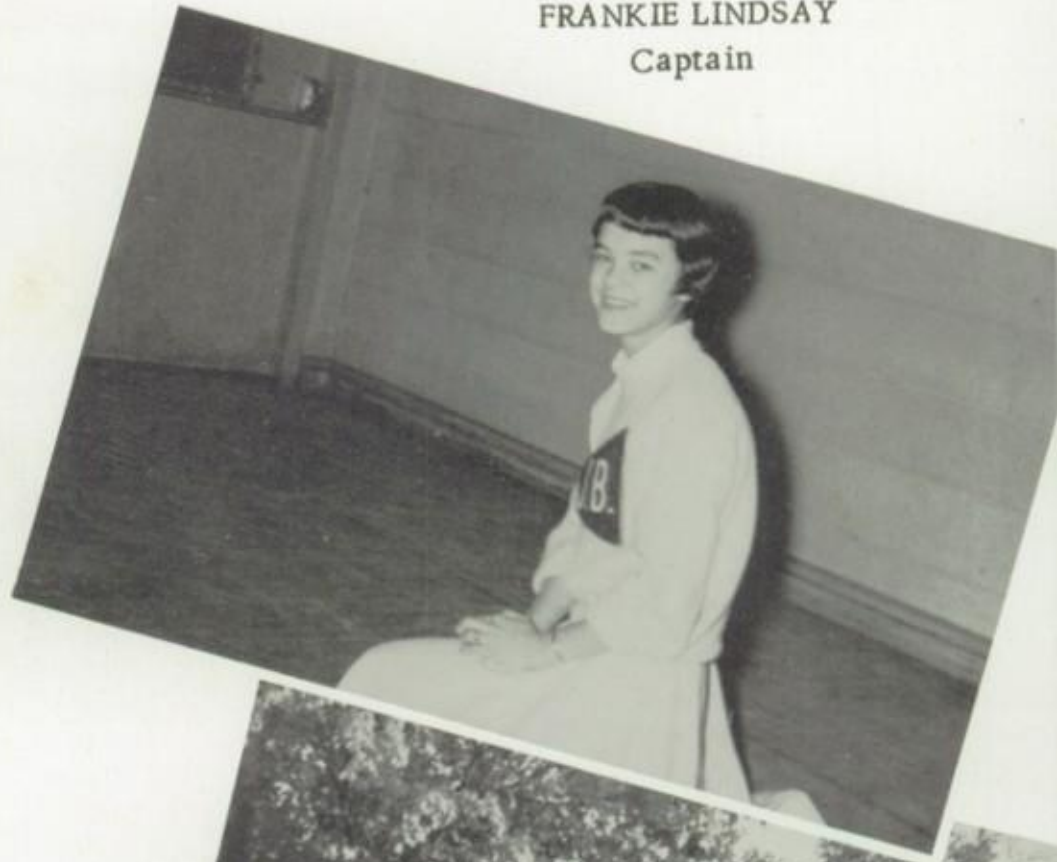
SCORES	We	They
Mathews	32	19
West Point	34	27
Gloucester	57	22
Poquoson	37	22
Virginia Beach	50	57
Deep Creek	35	42
Northampton	44	42
York	42	45
York	42	38
Gloucester	56	39
Virginia Beach	52	61
Deep Creek	40	38
Poquoson	54	57
Mathews	40	48



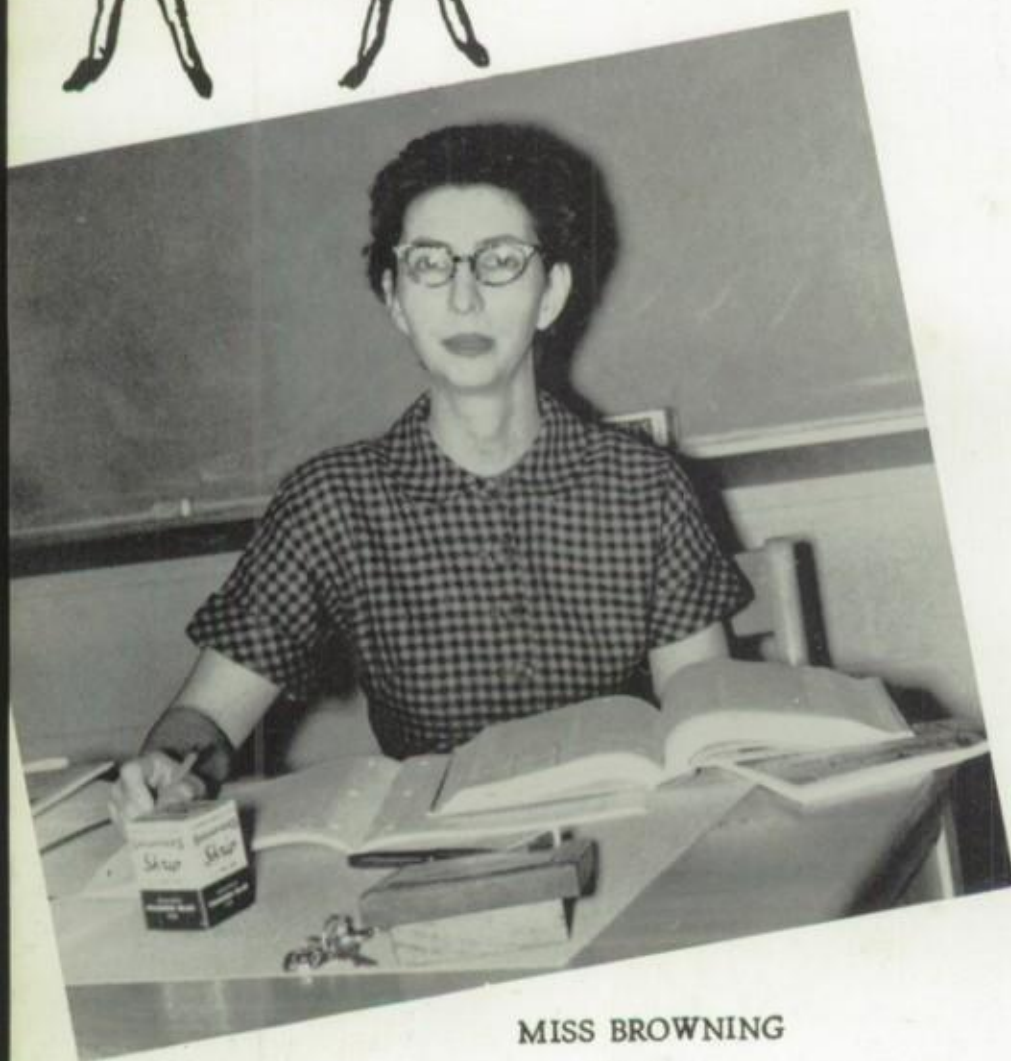
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spring '58



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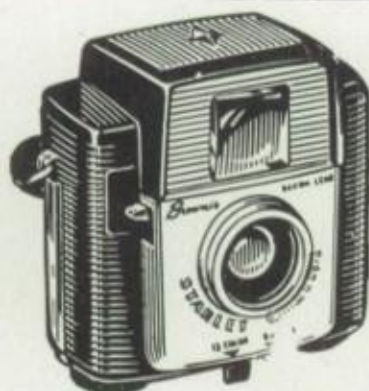
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Letter from the Editor

As the retiring editor of the 1959 Bee Hive, I extend my congratulations to the Juniors and the best of luck in their Senior year.

To the Sophomore Class, my heartiest congratulations for reaching the goal of an upperclassman.

To the Freshmen, who will be next year's Sophomores... Keep plugging; you'll make it yet.

And to the rising underclassmen, who will someday become our leaders... Good Luck.

To those who are graduating and will be entering into new and different fields, may your life be filled with joy, happiness and success.

To the faculty, thank you for your faithfulness and devotedness in guiding us into the things that are right.

To Mr. Pitts, our principal, compliments and words could never be adequate for what you have done.

Now, as the year draws to a close, I wish to take this opportunity on behalf of the yearbook staff and the Senior class to thank all those concerned with the making of your yearbook. We hope that as you look through it you will find many happy memories of the past, to carry into the future. May the ideals and honors which you learned here at James Blair guide you as you enter the paths of Adulthood.

Esther Marshall

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Editor-in-Chief



